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OUTLINES.

While in tow of a tug an unknown schooner sinks off Cape Henry. The tug rescued the crew and passed on. The wreck is a menace to shipping ——At Fort Myer yesterday Mr. Wright made a successful flight with the aeroplane——Chairman Mack yesterday held a three-hour conference with the members of the Eastern Democratic campaign committee. Encouraging reports were made from Atlantic Seaboard States from Connecticut to Delaware and they were declared debatable ground——Bryan made two speeches at his home yesterday. One was at the dedication of a new hospital building and the other at the State fair. Both were avowedly non-political. The latter was chiefly a eulogy on farmers and a pointing out of how that class of our people had been neglected by the Government ——That North Carolina is rapidly becoming a doubtful State was the assertion of National Committeeman E. C. Duncan, at Republican Campaign Headquarters, in New York, yesterday. He is making arrangements for Mr. Sherman to make at least one speech in this State during the campaign——The death of Frank Pierce Sargent, Commissioner General of Immigration, and one of the most forceful character in the field of labor, occurred in Washington yesterday—— The authorities investigating the death of Dr. Frederick T. Rustin, of Omaha, Neb., are completely baffled at the mysterious circumstances——A fire at Sumner, Miss., yesterday practically destroyed the business section and one man smothered to death while sleeping——The Atlantic fleet sails this morning for Albany, West Australia, the next top on its world itinerary. The stay at Melbourne was marked by great interest and pleasure, for the natives, officers an jackies—— New York Markets: Money on call easy at 1 per cent., ruling rate 1, offered 1, time loans firm. Spot cotton quiet, middling uplands 9.30, middling gulf 9.55. Flour firm but quiet. Wheat irregular No. 2 red 1.04 to 1.05 1-2 elevator, options steady without net change. Corn steady, No. 2, 98 nominal elevator, options 1-4 lower. Oats steady, mixed 53 to 54. Rosin and turpentine quiet.

We can't see that the anti-prohibitionists will gain anything by voting for Cox for Governor as he is as strong a prohibitionist as Kitchin.

The Morally Stunted are in a bad way politically. The Democratic party openly opposes them and the Republican is afraid to uphold them.

The Republicans are already discounting—as speculators in cotton futures and stocks say—the result of the Maine election of next week.

The floods in this section may not have been as bad as at first reported, but they could hardly have been any worse than they actually were.

The Durham Herald says: "Whether Mr. Bryan gets it or not." It doesn't look like there is much doubt as to that question, and the doubt is growing less each day.

Isn't it about time Cox's committee was sending in a challenge for a join canvass with Kitchin? Why this unnecessary delay? Surely the Republican candidate is impatient to meet Kitchin on the stump.

Were you to elect a banker Governor do you suppose that would help the banking interests? But if you elect a Republican it will put the Republican party in control of the affairs of the State.

Was that Taft-Foraker meeting prearranged on both sides or not? There are two contradictory statements about it. You can take your choice. Most persons will believe it was no surprise to Taft.

Mr. Hisgen having received notification last Tuesday, now all of them know they have been nominated, except, perhaps, Tom Watson. If a committee has been down to Georgia the fact has slipped our memory.

Now is the opportune time for Mr. Hildebrand to strike Candidate Cox for that hundred dollar subscription to the stock of his paper. Were he to call on Cox at this time he would hardly have to "cool his heels for an hour" on the latter's office steps.

The first principle of the Independence party is freedom from political thraldom; that every man should exercise his judgment in voting. Therefore, its leaders would have no right to complain of any of its members voting for the candidates of other parties.

Because the Republicans have nominated "a business man and a manufacturer" for Governor does not mean that if elected he could increase the business or the manufacturing interests of the State. He would simply be the Republican Governor—nothing more and nothing less.

MEASURES OF RELIEF

Three B[oats] Dispatched Yesterday by k[ey] Committee to The Flo[od] Sufferers.

THE NEEDS ARE I[N]TIVE

Subscriptions Now Reach Upwards of $800—Junior Orders Set Pace For Fraternal Orders—Appeal to Governor.

Following a meeting at the office of Capt. Wm. F. Robertson yesterday morning, three boats well laden with provisions and other supplies were forwarded yesterday afternoon by the Wilmington Relief Committee to the flood sufferers in the Canetuck. Holly Shelter and Kelly's Cove sections of Pender county.

The contributions of money, provisions, etc., were increased yesterday to nearly $800 and the boats sent out are expected to reach their destinations today so that much anxiety will be spared the people of the stricken lowlands. Members of the committee present yesterday were Messrs. Robertson and Peterson and Collector of Customs B. F. Keith, Dr. W. T. Smith and Mr. R. E. Blake, who have intimate knowledge of local conditions in the territory affected by the high water. It was possible for the committee to make only a desultory canvass during the forenoon but the responses were ready and a number of voluntary contributions came in to the committee. As the further needs appear, an appeal will be continued to the people for their donations and a further canvass will likely be made. The boats yesterday carried in the neighborhood of $600 worth of supplies to the suffering ones. Later it is expected that there will be a call for contributions of clothing, as many of those who fled before the rush of waters escaped with only what they wore. All of the groceries and other supplies for the sufferers yesterday were purchased from Wilmington merchants at prime first cost, so that all funds entrusted to the care of the committee is made to do more than the usual duty. The steamer Alice to transport the supplies to the sufferers was given free of cost by Mr. J. W. Brock, and the Lillie was tendered by [illegible] AND SU[illegible] at the bare cost of operation.

The steamer Alice was dispatched in charge of Mr. Keith and Dr. Smith to the Canetuck section of Pender county, where the damage seems to have been greatest. The Lillian also went out during the afternoon in charge of Mr. R. E. Blake bound for the Holly Shelter section of Pender county, which suffered so greatly by the floods early in August. Mr. Blake has been a prime mover in his efforts and his acquaintance with conditions already will ensure a proper distribution of this relief. Mrs. Kate Allen, of Kelly's Cove, who was in the city yesterday, will have charge of the relief measures in that section and the distributions there will be in good hands. Every dollar placed in the hands of the local committee will be distributed to the very best advantage and each member of the committee is giving his personal attention to the work. Chairman Chadbourn and Mr. W. B. Cooper were prevented from attending the meeting of the committee yesterday, but they are thoroughly in sympathy with the movement and are shirking no responsibility in the matter.

The needs of the sufferers have by no means been met and the committee will be thankful for still further contributions. Setting the pace for other fraternal organizations in the city, George Washington Council No. 67, Junior Order of United American Mechanics, at its regular meeting last night, appropriated $25 for the flood sufferers and a check for that amount will reach the committee today. The act is highly commendable on the part of the Juniors, whose hearts are ever with the unfortunate and suffering.

There was no change locally in the flood situation yesterday. Tides in the river continued high and the railroad tracks between here and Navassa are still submerged. It will be some days yet before communication is regularly restored.

The following telegram from Fayetteville in regard to the relief work along the Cape Fear was received last night.

Fayetteville, N. C., Sept. 4.—At the instance of Mr. H. Lutterloh, chairman of the County Commissioners, and Mr. A. L. McCaskill, postmaster, Mr. Q. K. Nimocks as attorney for the county of Cumberland, this evening wrote Gov. R. B. Glenn requesting him to appoint a commission to personolly investigate the condition of devastation along the Cape Fear from Lillington down.

This action is not taken in the special interest of Cumberland county, but of the whole Cape Fear valley. If the Governor is unable to take action in this matter an appeal will be made to the National Government. Mr. McCaskill recently passed through a section of this territory, returning from the Republican convention at Charlotte and was greatly impressed with the conditions.

Try one of those 25 or 50 cent pound cakes, for your Sunday dinner. Farris Bakery, 'phone 626. **

COUNTY ELECTION BOARD

Organized Yesterday With Mr. W. A. French, Jr., Chairman—Registrars and Pollholders For November Election.

The County Board of Elections, recently appointed by the State Board for New Hanover, met yesterday morning as required by law and organized by the election of Mr. W. A. French, Jr., as chairman and Woodus Kellum, Esq., as secretary. The third member of the committee, Mr. William Struthers, Jr., was secretary of the old Board and was re-appointed on the new one, but he declined to serve further as secretary.

The new Board is a splendid one and the political affairs of the county with respect to both parties will be safe in their hands. About the only other business of interest transacted yesterday was the designation of polling places and the naming of registrars and pollholders for the general National, State and county election in November. With the exception of officers in two wards, who will be supplied by the chairman later, the list is as follows:

—First Ward—F. T. Skipper, registrar; Walter Boesch, judge of election (one other to be appointed.)

Second Ward—W. W. Hodges, registrar; W. J. Meredith and E. C. Woodberry, judges of election.

Third Ward—A. G. Hankins, registrar; George Harriss and C. D. Morrill, judges of election.

Fourth Ward—W. H. Lane, registrar; Sam Siegler and James S. Williams, judges of election.

Fifth Ward—J. H. Sykes, registrar; D. S. Reveille, judge of election (one other to be appointed.)

Cape Fear Township—J. H. Johnson, registrar;; J. W. Winders and W. H. Shearin, judges of election.

Harnett Township, Delgado—J. A. Jordan, registrar; John Goley and W. A. Wood, judges of election.

Harnett Township, Seven Mile Post—John A. Everitt, Sr., registrar; L. R. Mason and J. T. Shepard, judges

Masonboro Township—W. H. Biddle, registrar; E. A. Orrell and William Lumsden, judges of election.

Federal Point Township—Melvin Horne, registrar; Hank Williams and Thomas Burnett, judges of election.

ABLAZE WITH COLORS.

Red, White and Blue Dance Last Night at Lumina.

One of the most attractive affairs of the season at the beach was the Red, White and Blue dance at Lumina last night. A very large crowd attended and all had a most enjoyable time. Of course Lumina was decorated from "pit to dome" with the National colors and the band played martial music.

The ball room was a mass of color. Every post was draped with red, white and blue bunting; American flags fluttered everywhere; garlands of red, white and blue paper were suspended from the ceiling in festoons while the ceiling itself was covered with large paper stars, some red, some white and some blue.

But the most unique of all was the large fire-place which was draped with the colors. On the mantel over the fire place were figures of Uncle Sam and Columbia—life size—and directly underneath them was a large brass cannon, around the wheels of which were wrapped red, white and blue festooning. The mantle was the hit of the evening. The figures of Uncle Sam and Columbia were made by Mrs. Booker, who has made many of the decorations for the Lumina dances. The brass cannon was very kindly loaned for the occasion by the Naval Reserves.

Another feature that received a great deal of attention was the large gold eagle suspended from the center of the ceiling holding in its claws a large American shield. The piece was also the creation of Mrs. Booker.

The favors for the dance were very attractive shawls of paper net work. Like the decorations, they were red, white and blue. The decorations give the pavilion a very gay appearance. They are to be left in place over Labor Day so that those who could not go down last night may see them then.

Number of Disabled Schooners.

The schooner Future, Capt. McDonald, after a record voyage from Reedville, Va., to the mouth of the Cape Fear river, making the trip in 48 hours, arrived in port yesterday with a cargo of fish scrap for the Virginia-Carolina Chemical Company. Capt. McDonald reported that he passed a number of schooners making slow progress, due to the loss of spars and sails. The schooner will receive cargo from the Windley Cross Tie Co., for Boston.

Negroes Created Disturbance.

In Justice Bornemann's court yesterday, Sarah Watkins, Conie Larkins, Augusta White and Janie McCoy, all colored, for causing a disturbance in the vicinity of Second and Brunswick streets last Thursday night were tried for disorderly conduct. The Watkins woman was fined $5 and the costs and the three others after being severely reprimanded by the justice were released on the payment of costs.

25 Cents Round Trip
to Wrightsville Beach on Labor Day from any part of city. **

TOOK SECOND GAME

Carolinians Again Won From Virginians on Local Ball Field Yesterday.

SCORE: TWO TO NOTHING

Better Exhibition Than That of Day Before—Few Hits But Advantage of Errors by Sailors Let in Two Runs.

In a rather better exhibition of the National sport yesterday afternoon, Wilmington took the second game of the series from Petersburg, Va., by the score of two to nothing. Levy, for the locals, and IFtzpatrick for the visitors, were the opposing pitchers and both did splendid work, errors behind the latter having been responsible for the defeat of the Virginians. Levy yielded but two hits, both of these going to Churn, the diminutive catcher for the visiting team. Fitzpatrick was touched up for only three safeties and played a consistent, hard game all through.

Cooper was the star for the locals, making an exceedingly difficult stop on third in the fifth inning, immediately following this up with a safe hit in Wilmington's half of the same spasm, advancing on sacrifices of Wagner and Jayes and crossing the rubber on Ellyson's easy muff of a long one off the bat of Levy.

The final game of the series will be played this afternoon and then the Sailors go to Petersburg for three games. The game this afternoon should be well worth seeing. Webster will take the slab for the locals and most probably "Rube" Howard, lately of Goldsboro, for the visitors. The game yesterday afternoon was witnessed by about 250 people and the story of the battle is thus told in detail:

First Inning—Bigbie, first up for Petersburg, was out second to first; Lewis was hit by pitched ball; Stanley up and Lewis was caught at second, iKte to Rath; Stanley flew to Wagner. Wilmington: Rath safe on nigh throw of short to first; Hoey fanned; Sharpe up and Rath out second; Sharpe flew to short, Kite to third.

Second—Bennett was hit by a pitched ball; Ellyson forced Bennett at second; Brennen fanned and Ellyson was caught between first and second. Wilmington: Doak out short to first; Cooper and Wagner flew to center.

Third—Morgan fanned; Churn singled to left; Fitzpatrick sacrificed; Bigbie out second to first. Wilmington: Jayes and Levy out second to first. Rath singled to right; Hoey fanned.

Fourth—Lewis out second to first; Stanley short to first; Bennett fanned. Wilmington: Sharpe out second to first; Kite short to first; Doak fanned.

Fifth—Ellyson flew to Doak; Brennen fanned; Morgan out third to first on a beautiful stop by Cooper. Wilmington: Cooper opened up with a single to centre and was sacrificed by Wagner and Jayes; Levy completed the circuit for Cooper with a line drive to centre, which was dropped by Ellyson; Rath was out third to first.

Sixth—Churn flew to left; Fitzpatrick to third; Bigbie out catcher to first. Wilmington: Hoey out pitcher to first; Sharpe flew long to right; Captain Bertram ended the agony by fanning.

Seventh—Lewis flew to Doak; Stanley to Jayes; Bennett to Cooper. Wilmington: Doak flew to right; Cooper to left; Wagner singled to right; Jayes up and Wagner stole second; Jayes up and Wagner got third on passed ball and came home on wild throw, catcher to third; Jayes walked; Levy out catcher to first.

Eighth—Ellyson flew to Sharpe; Brennen out third to first; Morgan to Sharpe. Wilmington: Rath out pitcher to first; Hoey fanned; Sharpe out third to first.

Ninth—Churn singled over short; Howard batting for Fitzpatrick hit to Hoey forcing Churn but on error of Rath batter goes to second; Bigbie out second to first; Lewis flew to Doak, breaking up the game.

The Tabulated Score.

Wilmington	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Rath ss	4	0	1	4	1	1
Hoey, 1b	4	0	0	10	1	0
Sharpe, 2b	4	0	0	1	7	0
Kite, c	3	0	0	4	3	0
Doak, rf	3	0	0	3	0	0
Cooper, 3b	3	1	1	2	2	0
Wagner, lf	2	1	1	2	0	0
Jayes, cf	1	0	0	1	0	0
Levy p	3	0	0	0	0	0
	27	2	3	27	14	1

Petersburg	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Bigbee, ss	4	0	0	1	2	1
Lewis, 3b	3	0	0	1	2	0
Stanley, 1b	3	0	0	13	0	0
Bennett, lf	2	0	0	1	0	0
Ellyson, cf	3	0	0	2	0	1
Brennen, 2b	3	0	0	0	4	0
Morgan, rf	3	0	0	2	0	0
Clum, c	3	0	2	4	2	1
Fitzpatrick, p	1	0	0	0	3	0
*Howard	1	0	0	0	0	0
	26	0	2	24	13	3

*Batted for Fitzpatrick.

DON JULIAN AND CAROLINA

Winners in September Regatta of Carolina Yacht Club at Wrightsville Beach Yesterday—Carry Championship.

The Don Julian, owned by Captain W. L. Parsley and sailed by Captain O. A. Wiggins, and the Carolina, Captain B. H. Bridgers, were the winners in the annual September regatta of the Carolina Yacht Club over the regular course at Wrightsville Beach yesterday, the former in craft of the first class and the latter in the lark race.

The regatta had been postponed from late in August and there was much interest among the owners of the fleet and their friends. The start was made shortly after 1 o'clock and the trim little boats were watched eagerly from the club piers. The official time of the boats of the first class was as follows:

Puzzle, Captain J. VanB. Metts, start 1:20, finish 2:54, elapsed time 1:34.

Gambol, Captain S. P. Cowan, start 1:23:65, finish 2:58:39, elapsed time 1:34:44.

Don Julian, Captain O. A. Wiggins, start 1:24:40, finish 2:52:58, elapsed time 1:28:18.

It will be seen from the figures that the race was very close and interesting to watch. In the lark race the record of the only two entries was as follows:

Carolina, Captain B. H. Bridgers, start 1:46:15, finish 3:33:12, elapsed time 1:46:57.

Yonalee, Captain P. W. Davis, start 1:46:15, finish 3:33:55, elapsed time 1:47:40.

Dr. W. D. MacMillan was starter for the regatta and he and Mr. H. McL. Green, marshal of the club, served as the judges. The Regatta Committee is endeavoring to arrange another race for Labor Day next Monday. Further announcement of this, however, will be made if the arrangements are completed. The tides will be favorable about 3 P. M. on Monday and if the arrangements are made a large crowd will no doubt be present. The winner of yesterday's races for the first class will hold the championship flag until it is won by some other craft. No prizes were offered.

COTTON IN NEW HANOVER

Grown W[illegible] Second After Truck[illegible]hone 67 Experiment.

Cotton cultu[illegible] New Hanover to any extent is something new under the sun. A gentleman, who is a rather close observer, remarked to a representative of the Star yesterday that a few days ago he witnessed the unusual spectacle of fifty hands picking the fleecy staple in a 16 acre field of D. F. Klein & Son in East Wilmington. The cotton was put in as a second crop after beans and other truck in rows during the Spring, the planting having been in the middles until after the truck was gathered and then bedded there with the heavy fertilizers used for the beans and other products thrown up to the later crop to carry it through. Mr. Klein tried cotton growing in this manner as an experiment and this year he was remarkably successful. With no other fertilizer than that used for the early truck crop and still in the ground, it is stated that he will pick a bale and a half of cotton to the acre. It is very early too, Mr. Klein having already gathered between three and four bales from the field. He has installed a gin, press and all other machinery for handling the crop for market right on his place.

BIG AUTOMOBILE MEET.

Last of September at Ellerbee Springs Richmond County News.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Rockingham, N. C., Sept. 3.—Automobilists of the two Carolinas will please remember that the big "Automobile Meet" will take place at Ellerbee Springs, Richmond county, North Carolina, on September 23rd and 24th. No one is going to stay at home, they will all be there.

Superior Court will convene Monday. Judge B. F. Long, of Statesville, will preside. Hon. L. D. Robinson, solicitor of Wadesboro, will represent the State. Among the cases of importance to be tried are: State vs. Carey Quick, Love Knight, Lauder Quick and Eb Quick for murder. These defendants are charged with killing Jule Combs, the celebrated blind tiger keeper on the State line between North and South Carolina. State vs. Henry Harvey, for murder. Harvey is a negro from Roanoke, Va., and shot his fellow workman. Both were working for the Sewerage Company. State vs. John Gilespie and Lige McCall. These defendants are charged with resisting Officer H. F. Griffith and seriously injuring him at Hamlet.

Score by Innings.

Wilmington	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	*	2	3	1
Petersburg	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	3

Batteries—Levy and Kite; Fitzpatrick and Churn.

Summary—Struck out, by Levy 4, Fitzpatrick 4; bases on balls, Fitzpatrick 1; hit by pitched ball, by Levy 2; passed ball, by Churn, 1; sacrifice hits, Wagner, Jayes and Fitzpatrick; stolen bases, Rath, Wagner; time 1:20; umpire, Mr. McLaughlin; scorer, Mr. Hudson; attendance 250.

EMBRYO BARRISTERS

Sixty-Four Out of Seventy-Two in Class Licensed to Practice Law.

FUNERAL OF F. H. BUSBEE

Distinguished Honors Paid to Raleigh Lawyer—Imprisonment For Debt to be Tested—Other News Notes From Capital.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., Sept. 4.—Sixty-four new lawyers were licensed today by the Supreme Court to practice in this State out of a class of seventy two examined by the court when the Fall term convened Monday. Among those licensed appears the name of Roger O'Kelly, the deaf and dumb negro who presented himself for examination Monday and was not expected to come anywhere near making the required mark.

The list of those receiving licenses fellows; Victor P. Hammer, Guilford; Charles W. Bagby, Catawba; Leslie C. Hardy, Arizona; John R. Jones, Stokes; Benj. W. Parkham, Granville; Henry M. Bonner, Beaufort; Bayard T. Falls, Cleveland; Cyrus D. McNeely, Union; Phillip P. Dulin, Iredell; Lacy L. Harkrader, Surry; Romulus T. Weatherman, Iredell; Madison L. Wilson, Mitchell; Steven S. Holt, Johnson; Robert L. Ray, Johnston; Lorenzo F. Bodenheimer, Guilford; Stokes Buchanan Mitchell; Alexander L. Clark, Halifax; James C. Newell, Cabarrus; John R. Baggett, Harnett; William H. S. Burgwyn, Northampton; John S. Calvert, New Hanover; Herman C. Caviness, Guilford; Carter Dalton, Guilford; John G. Dawson, Lenoir; Fleetwood W. Dunlap, Anson; Lewis W. Gaylord, Washington; Lemuel H. Gibbon, Lee; Donald D. Hawkins, Forsyth; James V. James Pitt; Squire S. Lawrence, Surry; Charles M. Leatherbury, Norfolk; Edward M. Linville, Forsyth; James A. Long, Alamance; Lister A. Martin, Rockingham; Allen T. Morrison, Buncombe; Herbert C. McKnight, Rowan; Ama R. McPhail, Wayne; David B. Paul, Mecklenburg; William S. [illegible] B. Robinson, Wayne; Charles T. Ross, Rockingham; Edward L. Stewart, Beaufort; Colon S. Smith, Sampson; Van H. Taylor, Robeson; Stanley Winborne, Hertford; Gurney P. Hood, Wayne; Landon C. Bell, Swain; Cornelius H. Fonville, Wake; Roger D. O'Kelly, Wake; Walter R. Gudger, Buncombe; William F. Evans, Pitt; Artus A. Keener, Catawba; James W. Barry, Mecklenburg; Clyde A. Duckworth, Mecklenburg; George H. Grason, McDowell; Samuel C. Williams, Iredell; Robert A. Miller, Jr., Gaston; Richard C. Kelly, Durham; Wm. A. Thompson, Beaufort; Frank C. Brinson, Pamlico; John R. Cox, Wayne, Algie A. Brown, Buncombe; Thos. B. Galloway, Buncombe; Thos. H. Hayes, Wilkes; James W. Keel, Edgecombe.

An immense throng of people gathered at the union depot here this afternoon to meet the remains of the late Fabius H. Busbee from Seattle, Washn., where he died while attending the National Bar Association. The remains were carried to the residence on Person street, thence to Christ's Episcopal church. The services were by Bishop Joseph Blount Cheshire, assisted by Dr. I. McK. Pittinger. The funeral cortege was unusually long, the floral offerings being particularly beautiful and numerous. The burial was with the rites of the Masons, the North Carolina Grand Lodge being in attendance with Grand Master S. H. Gattis, of Hillsboro, and prominent Masons from all parts of the State present. These with members of the local and State Bar Association constituted the honorary pall-bearers.

A young white man giving his name as David Kornegay and claiming to have come from Goldsboro and Mount Olive, is in jail here charged with attempting to "beat" a board bill of $2 for himself and his wife to whom he says he has been married only nine months. A statute by the 1907 Legislature makes the act of slipping away from a boarding house without paying one's board bill a misdemeanor. B. C. Beckwith, an attorney here, has taken the case in hand without fee to make a fight against what he declares to be "imprisonment for debt." He says he may be powerless for the present to get relief from the statute for his client in the courts, but that he will at least get a subscription among his friends to pay the bill and the costs so that the young man can have a chance to find work. He claims to have come here in search of work as a painter.

There is to be a special term of Wayne Country Superior Court to relieve the congested condition of the docket beginning October 5th and continuing two weeks. The order to this effect was issued by Governor Glenn today. He has not yet designated the judge to preside.

A new enterprise for Hope Mills, Cumberland county, was chartered today. The Hope Mills Real Estate and Improvement Company. The capital

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SUCCESSFUL TEST OF AEROPLANE

Orville Wright Sails Around the Drill Grounds at Fort Myer.

MISTAKE OF THE OPERATOR

He Pulls Lever Wrong Way in Making a Turn and Has to Come to Earth to Avoid Colision With Wires.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Washington, Sept. 3—Orville Wright made a flight in his aeroplane at Fort Myer, Va., this evening. While making the second circle of the drill grounds, Mr. Wright pulled the lever which controls the planes in the wrong direction and he was compelled to descend in order to avoid running into some wires. The machine encircled the grounds once and was half way around the field when the mishap occurred. The aeroplane was in the air for one minute and fifteen seconds.

Orville Wright was at work all day preparing for the day's flight. The starting apparatus was thoroughly tested and shortly before 5 o'clock the aeroplane was wheeled across the drill grounds to the starting track. Over an hour was consumed in testing the motor and arranging details.

Standing back from the aeroplane several hundred people, including distinguished officers and scientists, formed a semicircle. The gasoline did not feed properly when the motor was first started, but the trouble soon was remedied and the motor was started for the second time.

At 5:55 o'clock the aeroplane shot out along the single track and, reaching the end, continued to travel along the ground on its runners for about 20 feet, when Mr. Wright turned the forward planes upward and the machine gradually rose from the fround. Mr. Wright directed it toward the other end of the field, where a graceful turn was made for the return trip.

Turning directly over the starting apparatus, Mr. Wright continued on the second lap. Just as the machine started to make the turn for the secorn return trip, it was seen to dart down to earth in front of the tent. There was no one at that end of the field and the crowd ran pell mell for the aeroplane cheering wildly. The general impression was that Mr. Wright had descended purposely directly in front of the tent where the aeroplane is housed.

It was found that the forward part of the right hand runner had been broken off in two places. Mr. Wright was uninjured and calmly told the crowd how the accident happened. He said: "I pulled the lever the wrong way and the machine turned in the direction of those wires and that wood pile. I therefore had to bring the machine down to earth rather suddenly. The mistake was due to the change we have made in the position of the operator on the machine with which I have not become thoroughly familiar. The damage could be repaired within a few hours if we had the material here. If I had not made the mistake in turning I would probably have made several more circles around the field."

Mr. Wright expressed his entire satisfaction with the machine, which was built for the signal corps of the army. Throughout the short flight the aeroplane made numerous undulations, coming very close to the ground at times, but never rising higher than 25 feet from the earth. Mr. Wright said the undulating movement was due to the fact that he paid little attention to the small planes in front which control the ascent and descent of the machine. "I was giving all my attention to making the curves," he said.

Mr. Wright said he was a little nervous because it was his first flight in the new machine. He said, however, that the future flights will be easier. Mr. Wright estimated today's speed at 38 miles an hour, covering a distance of about three-quarters of a mile.

A WEST VIRGINIA TRAGEY

One Prominent Man Killed by Another Whom He Assaults.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Bluefield, W. Va., Sept. 3.—Dr. H. Howard Sayers, of North Fork, W. Va., was shot and killed today by S. Wesley Wilkes on a train standing at Keystone station. There had been bad blood between the two men for some time and it is said the physician had threatened to kill Wilkes on sight. When they met at Keystone depot Sayers caught Wilkes in the throat and began beating him in the face. Wilkes managed to get his revolver out of his grip and shot Sayers three times, death resulting in a few minutes. Wilkes was arrested.

Sayers was a prominent young practitioner and the son of the late Dr. H. H. Sayers, an eminent physician of Wytheville, Va.

It Can't Be Beat.

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RACE WAR CAUSED MANY INDICTMENTS

Springfield Gradd Jury Adjourned Last Night After Session of Fourteen Days.

CHARGES AGAINST POLICE

Alleged That They Failed to Suppress Riot When Detailed For That Duty—Hundreds of Witnesses Examined.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Springfield, Ill., Sept. 3.—The special grand jury called to probe the recent race war adjourned tonight after returning 17 more indictments, this making a total of 117 during the session.

Among those returned this afternoon were indictments against four Springfield policemen, Oscar Dahlkamp, Joseph Frendez, George H. Ohlman and George W. Dawson. They are indicted for alleged failure to suppress the riot when detailed for that duty. The report says:

"After the most diligent inquiry we condemn in unmeasured terms the cowardly, contemptuous action of those members of the police force who, having taken the oath of office, failed to do their duty; men who were paid from money obtained from the pockets of the people of this city to protect life and property; men who were ordered by the heads of departments of the police to go out and disperse the mob and who not only failed to use a club, handle a pistol or raise a voice against the mob on the side of law and order, but some of whom are shown to have assisted by act and word in doing the work that has been brought destruction to thousands of dollars of property and has brought the blush of shame to every law-abiding citizen of this city; men who under oath were bound and who, had they acted promptly, could have driven back to the obscurity from whence it came, the mob that for a time assumed to hold Sprjngfield in its bloody grasp.

"We recommend that the civil service commission of the city of Springfield, without fear or favor, and while evidence can easily be obtained, determine by fair trial who failed to prove himself a worthy member of the force and deal with him accordingly.

"We further recommend that the civil service commission inquire diligently into the so-called "third degree" or 'Sweating process' said to be carried on in various cases in the city prison, and if it is found that after an arrest a prisoner is struck by hand or club or otherwise mistreated either in the city prison or in any of the rooms connected therewith, that the same be stopped."

The grand jury has been in active session 14 days during which time hundreds of witnesses have been examined. Abe Raymer, "Slim" Humphrey and Mrs. Kate Howard were indicted for murder in connection with the lynching. Mrs. Howard, when indicted for the murder of Burton, committed suicide.

SECOND TRIAL OF ABE RUEF

Alleged Effort to Bribe Juror Caused Sensation in Court.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

San Francisco, Sept. 3.—A sensational incident occurred in Judge Lawler's department of the Superior Court today during the examination of talesmen for a jury to try Abe Ruef for the second time on the charge of bribery. One of the prospective jurors, J. M. Kelly, stated that he had been offered by one G. S. A. Blake $2,000 to vote against the conviction of Ruef, in the event of his being accepted as a juror. It developed that Kelly disclosed the matter to District Attorney Langdon in July last saying that Blake first offered him $500 afterward increasing the amount to $2,000.

When Kelly was called to the box and before he was sworn, Frank J. Murphy, one of Ruef's attorneys arose and said:

"This man approached counsel for the defendant and solicited a bribe.

Kelly then took the stand and related in detail the conversation with Blake. Attorney Murphy then under oath testified that Kelly had not told the truth.

Judge Lawlor will make an investigation.

COLLAR FOR BRYAN'S MULE

Horse Collar Makers of a Galesburg, Ills., Manufacturer Make Gift.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Galesburg, Ills., Sept. 3.—Horse collar makers employed by a manufacturer, here sent to William J. Bryan yesterday a collar for Mr. Bryan's mascot mule. Every man in the shop took part in making the collar. Mr. Bryan had been previously asked if he would accept the gift. He replied:

"I thank you for the friendly interest of the horse collar makers of your factory. Upon investigation I find that an 18-inch collar will fit our 'Mascot' and that he weighs about 875 pounds. Democratic friends seem to be quite interested in him. A bale of hay came to him recently from Texas. I appreciate the good will which prompts this offer and send my cordial greetings to those who wish to contribute."

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ACTOR ADMITTED HORRIBLE CRIME

Killed Wife in Jealous Quarrel and Mutilated Body in Effort to Conceal Murder.

SHOCKING STORY OF CRIME

Used Butcher's Knife in Severing the Head and Limbs—Purpose to Carry Pieces on Steamer and Throw Them Overboard.

(By Wire to the Morning Star)

Boston, Mass., Sept. 3.—The most brutal crime committed in Greater Boston since the death of Susan M. Geary, a chorus girl, four years ago and one much resembling it in its details, was disclosed tonight by the discovery of the torso of Mrs. Honorah Jordan, an actress aged 23 years of Somerville in a trunk in a boarding house at 7 Hancock street on Beacon Hill, this city. Later the head and bones of the limbs were found in the furnace of the Jordan home at Somerville and the scalp, hair and other grewsome remains were taken from the kitchen range of the house.

Chester Jordan, aged 29 years, an actor, of Somerville, is held by the police charged with the murder and tonight, according to the officers, he made a complete confession of the crime.

Jordan's story of the murder was substantially as follows: He stated that he was married in September 1904 to Mrs. Honorah Eddy, whose maiden name was O'Reilly, and whose home was in Somerville. He did not know who his wife's first husband was or what had become of him. The couple went on the vaudeville stage Mr. Jordan taking the part of a tramp and his wife that of a nurse, in a sketch. They went first to Butte, Mont., four years ago but only remained three or four weeks. Later they went to Chicago and appeared in some of the smaller theatres there, remaining three months. About three years ago they returned to Somerville and took a flat in the house at 509 A. Medford street. Mrs. Jordan, according to her husband had taken to drinking of late and, he claims, was associating with other men and he became jealous. It was a jealous quarrel that started the trouble which ended in the death of the wife.

Jordan declares that his wife struck his first; that he then knocked her down stairs, and was terrified to find that he had killed her. This happened at 7:30 o'clock Tuesday night. Fearing discovery he conceived the idea of cutting the body up, taking it away on one of the steamers and throwing the parts overboard and then reporting to the police the fact that his wife had left him.

Jordan, according to his confession went out and brought a heavy butcher's cutting up knife. With this and a razor and shears he severed the head from the body and after putting the scalp and hair in the kitchen fange, placed the skull in the furnace in the cellar. The legs and arms were cut from the body and the flesh sliced in strips, leaving the bones of the limbs practically bare. The bones were placed in the furnace and the chunks of flesh piled into a trunk with the torso.

UNION VETERANS IN TOLEDO

Atlanta Will Ask For Encampment Next Year.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Toledo, O., Sept. 3.—Colonel Henry Nevius, of Red Bank, N. J., was today elected commander-in-chief of the Grand Army of the Republic. Other officers were chosen as follows:

Senior vice commander, J. Kent Hamilton, of Ohio; Junior vice commander, C. C. Royce, of California; Chaplain-in-chief, J. F. Spence, of Tennessee; Surgeon-in-chief, G. Lane Tannehill, of Maryland.

J. W. Stebbins, of Alabama, made a fight for junior vice commander on the ground that the South, with its 150,000 graves of Union dead to care for, should be represented on the National staff. W. M. Scott, of Atlanta, Ga., the retiring junior vice commander, declared that the South, represented by J. F. Spence among the National officers, had every reason to be satisfied. He expressed his approval of the selection of the officers from widely separated sections of the country.

It is stated that stories that Atlanta was after the encampment next year had been set afloat by unauthorized persons but the retiring vice commander declared that when Atlanta's new auditorium was completed next year that this city would make a decided bid for the honor of entertaining the veterans.

MR. BRYAN AT HOME.

Back From Tour of Three States in the West.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Lincoln, Neb., Sept. 3.—Intensely satisfied with the reception accorded him and the reports of the political situation, W. J. Bryan, Democratic candidate for President, arrived here today at noon and proceeded at once to Fairview, his home. The journey occupied five days.

Charles W. Bryan today sent a check for $2,000 to Governor C. N. Haskell, of Oklahoma, treasurer of the Democratic National Committee, representing receipts over expenditures in the Commoner office from July 24th to September 1st. He also sent a check for $320 as the receipts from 59 contributors to the campaign fund.

Follow the Crowds.

Red, White and Blue dance at Lumina tonight. **

FUNERAL OF GENERAL STEWART

The Ex-Confederate's Remains Laid to Rest With Simple Ceremonies.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

St. Louis, Mo., Sept. 3.—General Alexander P. Stewart, with one exception the last of the Lieutenant Generals in the Army of the Confederate States, who died at Biloxi, Miss., last Sunday, at the age of 86 years, was buried in Bellefontain cemetery, this city, late this afternoon. In accordance with the custom of the United Confederate Veterans, the interment was not marked by the call of the bugle or by the beat of the drum, the absence of these martial tributes signifying for the veterans that their warfare is over.

The funeral was held at the home of A. C. Stewart, a son of the dead general. Members of the local branches of the Daughters of the Confederacy, and of the Sons of Confederate Veterans attended. Despite the request of the family that flowers be omitted the casket was buried under floral tributes, some of which had come from far away cities. The service was simple.

THE PACIFIC FLEET.

Many Entertainments Planned For Officers and Men.

(By Cable to the Morning Star.)

Honolulu, Sept. 3.—Many entertainments have been planned for the officers and men of the Pacific fleet during their stay in the Hawaiian islands. Read Admiral Swinburne, and the other commanding officers were the guests at a dinner last night of Captain Corwin P. Reese, commandant of the Naval station, and they will be similarly entertained this evening by Governor Frear. The junior officers last night attended a ball given in their honor.

The work of coaling the cruisers was in progress today.

MR. W. H. PARKER DEAD.

Formerly Lived Here With His Daughter, Mrs. D. Hanna.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Danville, Va., Sept. 2.—William Henry Parker, 63 years old, was found in a dying condition this morning in the home of his daughter, Mrs. D. Hanna.

He expired of heart trouble before physicians could arrive. He was a Confederate veteran and came here about a year ago from Wilmington, N. C.

Sale of the Russian Barque "Mats" and Her Cargo of Mahogany——Feet.

By virtue of an order of the District Court of the United States for the Eastern District of North Carolina made in a cause in Admiralty entitled "Edgar Williams against The Russian Barque 'Mats,'" I, the undersigned, will expose for sale, at public auction, for cash at twelve o'clock in the forenoon, on the 11th day of September, 1908, at the United States Postoffice in Wilmington, N. C., Front street entrance, the said Barque "Mats," her tackle, apparel and furniture, and her cargo consisting of 580 tons of Mahogany. The said Barque, her tackle, apparel and furniture will be sold separately and independently from her said cargo.

This 3rd day of September, 1908.

CLAUDIUS DOCKERY,
United States Marshal.
per C. O. KNOX,
Deputy U. S. Marshal.

sep 4 to 11.

Sale of the American Schooner "Chas. K. Schull," and her Cargo of Coal—1,200 Tons.

By virtue of an order of the District Court of the United States for the Eastern District of North Carolina, made in a cause in Admiralty entitled "William H. Welch, First Assistant Engineer of the Steamship 'Ocmulgee' on behalf of the owners, the Master himself, and the other officers and crew of said steamship, against the Schooner 'Chas. K. Schull,' of Philadelphia, and Capt. J. M. Peckworth, Master of said Schooner 'Chas. K. Schull,' and against the cargo laden on said ship and against all persons intervening for their interest in the said vessel and cargo," I, the undersigned, will expose for sale, at public auction, for cash at ten o'clock, in the forenoon, on the 11th day of September, 1908, at the United States Postoffice in Wilmington, N. C., Front street entrance, the said Schooner "Chas. K. Schull," her tackle, apparel and furniture, and her cargo consisting of 1,200 tons of gas coal. The said Schooner, her tackle, apparel and furniture will be sold separately from her said cargo. The said Schooner is of about 894 tons burthen, and is about nineteen years old, and now lies at the wharf of the Wilmington Compress Company, at foot of Harnett street in this city.

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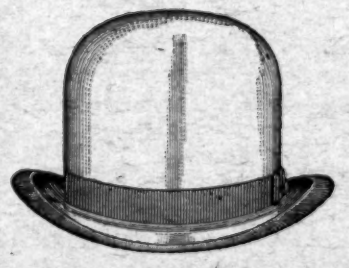

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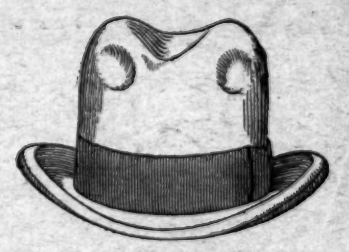

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OUTLINES.

While in tow of a tug an unknown schooner sinks off Cape Henry. The tug rescued the crew and passed on. The wreck is a menace to shipping ——At Fort Myer yesterday Mr. Wright made a successful flight with the aeroplane——Chairman Mack yesterday held a three-hour conference with the members of the Eastern Democratic campaign committee. Encouraging reports were made from Atlantic Seaboard States from Connecticut to Delaware and they were declared debatable ground——Bryan made two speeches at his home yesterday. One was at the dedication of a new hospital building and the other at the State fair. Both were avowedly non-political. The latter was chiefly a eulogy on farmers and a pointing out of how that class of our people had been neglected by the Government ——That North Carolina is rapidly becoming a doubtful State was the assertion of National Committeeman E. C. Duncan, at Republican Campaign Headquarters, in New York, yesterday. He is making arrangements for Mr. Sherman to make at least one speech in this State during the campaign——The death of Frank Pierce Sargent, Commissioner General of Immigration, and one of the most forceful character in the field of labor, occurred in Washington yesterday—— The authorities investigating the death of Dr. Frederick T. Rustin, of Omaha, Neb., are completely baffled at the mysterious circumstances——A fire at Sumner, Miss., yesterday practically destroyed the business section and one man smothered to death while sleeping——The Atlantic fleet sails this morning for Albany, West Australia, the next top on its world itinerary. The stay at Melbourne was marked by great interest and pleasure, for the natives, officers an jackies—— New York Markets: Money on call easy at 1 per cent., ruling rate 1, offered 1, time loans firm. Spot cotton quiet, middling uplands 9.30, middling gulf 9.55. Flour firm but quiet. Wheat irregular No. 2 red 1.04 to 1.05 1-2 elevator, options steady without net change. Corn steady, No. 2, 98 nominal elevator, options 1-4 lower. Oats steady, mixed 53 to 54. Rosin and turpentine quiet.

We can't see that the anti-prohibitionists will gain anything by voting for Cox for Governor as he is as strong a prohibitionist as Kitchin.

The Morally Stunted are in a bad way politically. The Democratic party openly opposes them and the Republican is afraid to uphold them.

The Republicans are already discounting—as speculators in cotton futures and stocks say—the result of the Maine election of next week.

The floods in this section may not have been as bad as at first reported, but they could hardly have been any worse than they actually were.

The Durham Herald says: "Whether Mr. Bryan gets it or not." It doesn't look like there is much doubt as to that question, and the doubt is growing less each day.

Isn't it about time Cox's committee was sending in a challenge for a join canvass with Kitchin? Why this unnecessary delay? Surely the Republican candidate is impatient to meet Kitchin on the stump.

Were you to elect a banker Governor do you suppose that would help the banking interests? But if you elect a Republican it will put the Republican party in control of the affairs of the State.

Was that Taft-Foraker meeting prearranged on both sides or not? There are two contradictory statements about it. You can take your choice. Most persons will believe it was no surprise to Taft.

Mr. Hisgen having received notification last Tuesday, now all of them know they have been nominated, except, perhaps, Tom Watson. If a committee has been down to Georgia the fact has slipped our memory.

Now is the opportune time for Mr. Hildebrand to strike Candidate Cox for that hundred dollar subscription to the stock of his paper. Were he to call on Cox at this time he would hardly have to "cool his heels for an hour" on the latter's office steps.

The first principle of the Independence party is freedom from political thraldom; that every man should exercise his judgment in voting. Therefore, its leaders would have no right to complain of any of its members voting for the candidates of other parties.

Because the Republicans have nominated "a business man and a manufacturer" for Governor does not mean that if elected he could increase the business or the manufacturing interests of the State. He would simply be the Republican Governor—nothing more and nothing less.

MEASURES OF RELIEF

Three B[illegible] Dispatched Yesterday by k[illegible] Committee to The Floo[illegible]erers.

THE NEEDS ARE I[illegible]ATIVE

Subscriptions Now Reach Upwards of $800—Junior Orders Set Pace For Fraternal Orders—Appeal to Governor.

Following a meeting at the office of Capt. Wm. F. Robertson yesterday morning, three boats well laden with provisions and other supplies were forwarded yesterday afternoon by the Wilmington Relief Committee to the flood sufferers in the Canetuck. Holly Shelter and Kelly's Cove sections of Pender county.

The contributions of money, provisions, etc., were increased yesterday to nearly $800 and the boats sent out are expected to reach their destinations today so that much anxiety will be spared the people of the stricken lowlands. Members of the committee present yesterday were Messrs. Robertson and Peterson and Collector of Customs B. F. Keith, Dr. W. T. Smith and Mr. R. E. Blake, who have intimate knowledge of local conditions in the territory affected by the high water. It was possible for the committee to make only a desultory canvass during the forenoon but the responses were ready and a number of voluntary contributions came in to the committee. As the further needs appear, an appeal will be continued to the people for their donations and a further canvass will likely be made. The boats yesterday carried in the neighborhood of $600 worth of supplies to the suffering ones. Later it is expected that there will be a call for contributions of clothing, as many of those who fled before the rush of waters escaped with only what they wore. All of the groceries and other supplies for the sufferers yesterday were purchased from Wilmington merchants at prime first cost, so that all funds entrusted to the care of the committee is made to do more than the usual duty. The steamer Alice to transport the supplies to the sufferers was given free of cost by Mr. J. W. Br[illegible] and the Lillie was tendered by [illegible] at the bare cost of operation.

The steamer Alice was dispatched in charge of Mr. Keith and Dr. Smith to the Canetuck section of Pender county, where the damage seems to have been greatest. The Lillian also went out during the afternoon in charge of Mr. R. E. Blake bound for the Holly Shelter section of Pender county, which suffered so greatly by the floods early in August. Mr. Blake has been a prime mover in his efforts and his acquaintance with conditions already will ensure a proper distribution of this relief. Mrs. Kate Allen, of Kelly's Cove, who was in the city yesterday, will have charge of the relief measures in that section and the distributions there will be in good hands. Every dollar placed in the hands of the local committee will be distributed to the very best advantage and each member of the committee is giving his personal attention to the work. Chairman Chadbourn and Mr. W. B. Cooper were prevented from attending the meeting of the committee yesterday, but they are thoroughly in sympathy with the movement and are shirking no responsibility in the matter.

The needs of the sufferers have by no means been met and the committee will be thankful for still further contributions. Setting the pace for other fraternal organizations in the city, George Washington Council No. 67, Junior Order of United American Mechanics, at its regular meeting last night, appropriated $25 for the flood sufferers and a check for that amount will reach the committee today. The act is highly commendable on the part of the Juniors, whose hearts are ever with the unfortunate and suffering.

There was no change locally in the flood situation yesterday. Tides in the river continued high and the railroad tracks between here and Navassa are still submerged. It will be some days yet before communication is regularly restored.

The following telegram from Fayetteville in regard to the relief work along the Cape Fear was received last night.

Fayetteville, N. C., Sept. 4.—At the instance of Mr. H. Lutterloh, chairman of the County Commissioners, and Mr. A. L. McCaskill, postmaster, Mr. Q. K. Nimocks as attorney for the county of Cumberland, this evening wrote Gov. R. B. Glenn requesting him to appoint a commission to personally investigate the condition of devastation along the Cape Fear from Lillington down.

This action is not taken in the special interest of Cumberland county, but of the whole Cape Fear valley. If the Governor is unable to take action in this matter an appeal will be made to the National Government. Mr. McCaskill recently passed through a section of this territory, returning from the Republican convention at Charlotte and was greatly impressed with the conditions.

Try one of those 25 or 50 cent pound cakes, for your Sunday dinner. Farris Bakery, 'phone 626. **

COUNTY ELECTION BOARD

Organized Yesterday With Mr. W. A. French, Jr., Chairman—Registrars and Pollholders For November Election.

The County Board of Elections, recently appointed by the State Board for New Hanover, met yesterday morning as required by law and organized by the election of Mr. W. A. French, Jr., as chairman and Woodus Kellum, Esq., as secretary. The third member of the committee, Mr. William Struthers, Jr., was secretary of the old Board and was re-appointed on the new one, but he declined to serve further as secretary.

The new Board is a splendid one and the political affairs of the county with respect to both parties will be safe in their hands. About the only other business of interest transacted yesterday was the designation of polling places and the naming of registrars and pollholders for the general National, State and county election in November. With the exception of officers in two wards, who will be supplied by the chairman later, the list is as follows:

—First Ward—F. T. Skipper, registrar; Walter Boesch, judge of election (one other to be appointed.)

Second Ward—W. W. Hodges, registrar; W. J. Meredith and E. C. Woodberry, judges of election.

Third Ward—A. G. Hankins, registrar; George Harriss and C. D. Morrill, judges of election.

Fourth Ward—W. H. Lane, registrar; Sam Siegler and James S. Williams, judges of election.

Fifth Ward—J. H. Sykes, registrar; D. S. Reveille, judge of election (one other to be appointed.)

Cape Fear Township—J. H. Johnson, registrar;; J. W. Winders and W. H. Shearin, judges of election.

Harnett Township, Delgado—J. A. Jordan, registrar; John Goley and W. A. Wood, judges of election.

Harnett Township, Seven Mile Post—John A. Everitt, Sr., registrar; L. R. Mason and J. M. Shepard, judges

Masonboro Township—W. H. Biddle, registrar; E. A. Orrell and William Lumsden, judges of election.

Federal Point Township—Melvin Horne, registrar; Hank Williams and Thomas Burnett, judges of election.

AND SU[illegible] ARRAYED WITH COLORS.

Red, White and Blue Dance Last Night at Lumina.

One of the most attractive affairs of the season at the beach was the Red, White and Blue dance at Lumina last night. A very large crowd attended and all had a most enjoyable time. Of course Lumina was decorated from "pit to dome" with the National colors and the band played martial music.

The ball room was a mass of color. Every post was draped with red, white and blue bunting; American flags fluttered everywhere; garlands of red, white and blue paper were suspended from the ceiling in festoons while the ceiling itself was covered with large paper stars, some red, some white and some blue.

But the most unique of all was the large fire-place which was draped with the colors. On the mantel over the fire place were figures of Uncle Sam and Columbia—life size—and directly underneath them was a large brass cannon, around the wheels of which were wrapped red, white and blue festooning. The mantle was the hit of the evening. The figures of Uncle Sam and Columbia were made by Mrs. Booker, who has made many of the decorations for the Lumina dances. The brass cannon was very kindly loaned for the occasion by the Naval Reserves.

Another feature that received a great deal of attention was the large gold eagle suspended from the center of the ceiling holding in its claws a large American shield. The piece was also the creation of Mrs. Booker.

The favors for the dance were very attractive shawls of paper net work. Like the decorations, they were red, white and blue. The decorations give the pavilion a very gay appearance. They are to be left in place over Labor Day so that those who could not go down last night may see them then.

Number of Disabled Schooners.

The schooner Future, Capt. McDonald, after a record voyage from Reedville, Va., to the mouth of the Cape Fear river, making the trip in 48 hours, arrived in port yesterday with a cargo of fish scrap for the Virginia-Carolina Chemical Company. Capt. McDonald reported that he passed a number of schooners making slow progress, due to the loss of spars and sails. The schooner will receive cargo from the Windley Cross Tie Co., for Boston.

Negroes Created Disturbance.

In Justice Bornemann's court yesterday, Sarah Watkins, Conie Larkins, Augusta White and Janie McCoy, all colored, for causing a disturbance in the vicinity of Second and Brunswick streets last Thursday night were tried for disorderly conduct. The Watkins woman was fined $5 and the costs and the three others after being severely reprimanded by the justice were released on the payment of costs.

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25 Cents Round Trip
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TOOK SECOND GAME

Carolinians Again Won From Virginians on Local Ball Field Yesterday.

SCORE: TWO TO NOTHING

Better Exhibition Than That of Day Before—Few Hits But Advantage of Errors by Sailors Let in Two Runs.

In a rather better exhibition of the National sport yesterday afternoon, Wilmington took the second game of the series from Petersburg, Va., by the score of two to nothing. Levy, for the locals, and Fitzpatrick for the visitors, were the opposing pitchers and both did splendid work, errors behind the latter having been responsible for the defeat of the Virginians. Levy yielded but two hits, both of these going to Churn, the diminutive catcher for the visiting team. Fitzpatrick was touched up for only three safeties and played a consistent, hard game all through.

Cooper was the star for the locals, making an exceedingly difficult stop on third in the fifth inning, immediately following this up with a safe hit in Wilmington's half of the same spasm, advancing on sacrifices of Wagner and Jayes and crossing the rubber on Ellyson's easy muff of a long one off the bat of Levy.

The final game of the series will be played this afternoon and then the Sailors go to Petersburg for three games. The game this afternoon should be well worth seeing. Webster will take the slab for the locals and most probably "Rube" Howard, lately of Goldsboro, for the visitors. The game yesterday afternoon was witnessed by about 250 people and the story of the battle is thus told in detail:

First Inning—Bigbie, first up for Petersburg, was out second to first; Lewis was hit by pitched ball; Stanley up and Lewis was caught at second, Kte to Rath; Stanley flew to Wagner. Wilmington: Rath [illegible] safe on nigh throw of short to first; Hoey fanned; Sharpe up and Rath [illegible] second; Sharpe flew to short, Kite to third.

Second—Bennett was hit by a pitched ball; Ellyson forced Bennett at second; Brennen fanned and Ellyson was caught between first and second. Wilmington: Doak out short to first; Cooper and Wagner flew to center.

Third—Morgan fanned; Churn singled to left; Fitzpatrick sacrificed; Bigbie out second to first. Wilmington: Jayes and Levy out second to first. Rath singled to right; Hoey fanned.

Fourth—Lewis out second to first; Stanley short to first; Bennett fanned. Wilmington: Sharpe out second to first; Kite short to first; Doak fanned.

Fifth—Ellyson flew to Doak; Brennen fanned; Morgan out third to first on a beautiful stop by Cooper. Wilmington: Cooper opened up with a single to centre and was sacrificed by Wagner and Jayes; Levy completed the circuit for Cooper with a line drive to centre, which was dropped by Ellyson; Rath was out third to first.

Sixth—Churn flew to left; Fitzpatrick to third; Bigbie out catcher to first. Wilmington: Hoey out pitcher to first; Sharpe flew long to right; Captain Bertram ended the agony by fanning.

Seventh—Lewis flew to Doak; Stanley to Jayes; Bennett to Cooper. Wilmington: Doak flew to right; Cooper to left; Wagner singled to right; Jayes up and Wagner stole second; Jayes up and Wagner got third on passed ball and came home on wild throw, catcher to third; Jayes walked; Levy out catcher to first.

Eighth—Ellyson flew to Sharpe; Brennen out third to first; Morgan to Sharpe. Wilmington: Rath out pitcher to first; Hoey fanned; Sharpe out third to first.

Ninth—Churn singled over short; Howard batting for Fitzpatrick hit to Hoey forcing Churn but on error of Rath batter goes to second; Bigbie out second to first; Lewis flew to Doak, breaking up the game.

The Tabulated Score.

Wilmington	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Rath ss	4	0	1	4	1	1
Hoey, 1b	4	0	0	10	1	0
Sharpe, 2b	4	0	0	1	7	0
Kite, c	3	0	0	4	3	0
Doak, rf	3	0	0	3	0	0
Cooper, 3b	3	1	1	2	2	0
Wagner, lf	2	1	1	2	0	0
Jayes, cf	1	0	0	1	0	0
Levy p	3	0	0	0	0	0
	27	2	3	27	14	1
Petersburg	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Bigbee, ss	4	0	0	1	2	1
Lewis, 3b	3	0	0	1	2	0
Stanley, 1b	3	0	0	13	0	0
Bennett, lf	2	0	0	1	0	0
Ellyson, cf	3	0	0	2	0	1
Brennen, 2b	3	0	0	0	4	0
Morgan, rf	3	0	0	2	0	0
Clum, c	3	0	2	4	2	1
Fitzpatrick, p	1	0	0	0	3	0
*Howard	1	0	0	0	0	0
	26	0	2	24	13	3

*Batted for Fitzpatrick.

DON JULIAN AND CAROLINA

Winners in September Regatta of Carolina Yacht Club at Wrightsville Beach Yesterday—Carry Championship.

The Don Julian, owned by Captain W. L. Parsley and sailed by Captain O. A. Wiggins, and the Carolina, Captain B. H. Bridgers, were the winners in the annual September regatta of the Carolina Yacht Club over the regular course at Wrightsville Beach yesterday, the former in craft of the first class and the latter in the lark race.

The regatta had been postponed from late in August and there was much interest among the owners of the fleet and their friends. The start was made shortly after 1 o'clock and the trim little boats were watched eagerly from the club piers. The official time of the boats of the first class was as follows:

Puzzle, Captain J. VanB. Metts, start 1:20, finish 2:54, elapsed time 1:34.

Gambol, Captain S. P. Cowan, start 1:23:65, finish 2:58:39, elapsed time 1:34:44.

Don Julian, Captain O. A. Wiggins, start 1:24:40, finish 2:52:58, elapsed time 1:28:18.

It will be seen from the figures that the race was very close and interesting to watch. In the lark race the record of the only two entries was as follows:

Carolina, Captain B. H. Bridgers, start 1:46:15, finish 3:33:12, elapsed time 1:46:57.

Yonalee, Captain P. W. Davis, start 1:46:15, finish 3:33:55, elapsed time 1:47:40.

Dr. W. D. MacMillan was starter for the regatta and he and Mr. H. McL. Green, marshal of the club, served as the judges. The Regatta Committee is endeavoring to arrange another race for Labor Day next Monday. Further announcement of this, however, will be made if the arrangements are completed. The tides will be favorable about 3 P. M. on Monday and if the arrangements are made a large crowd will no doubt be present. The winner of yesterday's races for the first class will hold the championship flag until it is won by some other craft. No prizes were offered.

COTTON GROWN IN NEW HANOVER

Grow[illegible] Second After Truck [illegible]xperiment.

Cotton cultu[illegible] New Hanover to any extent is something new under the sun. A gentleman, who is a rather close observer, remarked to a representative of the Star yesterday that a few days ago he witnessed the unusual spectacle of fifty hands picking the fleecy staple in a 16 acre field of D. F. Klein & Son in East Wilmington. The cotton was put in as a second crop after beans and other truck in rows during the Spring, the planting having been in the middles until after the truck was gathered and then bedded there with the heavy fertilizers used for the beans and other products thrown up to the later crop to carry it through. Mr. Klein tried cotton growing in this manner as an experiment and this year he was remarkably successful. With no other fertilizer than that used for the early truck crop and still in the ground, it is stated that he will pick a bale and a half of cotton to the acre. It is very early too, Mr. Klein having already gathered between three and four bales from the field. He has installed a gin, press and all other machinery for handling the crop for market right on his place.

BIG AUTOMOBILE MEET.

Last of September at Ellerbee Springs Richmond County News.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Rockingham, N. C., Sept. 3.—Automobilists of the two Carolinas will please remember that the big "Automobile Meet" will take place at Ellerbee Springs, Richmond county, North Carolina, on September 23rd and 24th. No one is going to stay at home, they will all be there.

Superior Court will convene Monday. Judge B. F. Long, of Statesville, will preside. Hon. L. D. Robinson, solicitor of Wadesboro, will represent the State. Among the cases of importance to be tried are: State vs. Carey Quick, Love Knight, Lauder Quick and Eb Quick for murder. These defendants are charged with killing Jule Combs, the celebrated blind tiger keeper on the State line between North and South Carolina. State vs. Henry Harvey, for murder. Harvey is a negro from Roanoke, Va., and shot his fellow workman. Both were working for the Sewerage Company. State vs. John Gilespie and Lige McCall. These defendants are charged with resisting Officer H. F. Griffith and seriously injuring him at Hamlet.

Score by Innings.

Wilmington ....000 010 10*—2 3 1
Petersburg .....000 000 000—0 2 3

Batteries—Levy and Kite; Fitzpatrick and Churn.

Summary—Struck out, by Levy 4, Fitzpatrick 4; bases on balls, Fitzpatrick 1; hit by pitched ball, by Levy 2; passed ball, by Churn, 1; sacrifice hits, Wagner, Jayes and Fitzpatrick; stolen bases, Rath, Wagner; time 1:20; umpire, Mr. McLaughlin; scorer, Mr. Hudson; attendance 250.

EMBRYO BARRISTERS

Sixty-Four Out of Seventy-Two in Class Licensed to Practice Law.

FUNERAL OF F. H. BUSBEE

Distinguished Honors Paid to Raleigh Lawyer—Imprisonment For Debt to be Tested—Other News Notes From Capital.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., Sept. 4.—Sixty-four new lawyers were licensed today by the Supreme Court to practice in this State out of a class of seventy two examined by the court when the Fall term convened Monday. Among those licensed appears the name of Roger O'Kelly, the deaf and dumb negro who presented himself for examination Monday and was not expected to come anywhere near making the required mark.

The list of those receiving licenses fellows; Victor P. Hammer, Guilford; Charles W. Bagby, Catawba; Leslie C. Hardy, Arizona; John R. Jones, Stokes; Benj. W. Parkham, Granville; Henry M. Bonner, Beaufort; Bayard T. Falls, Cleveland; Cyrus D. McNeely, Union; Phillip P. Dulin, Iredell; Lacy L. Harkrader, Surry; Romulus T. Weatherman, Iredell; Madison L. Wilson, Mitchell; Steven S. Holt, Johnson; Robert L. Ray, Johnston; Lorenzo F. Bodenheimer, Guilford; Stokes Buchanan Mitchell; Alexander L. Clark, Halifax; James C. Newell, Cabarrus; John R. Baggett, Harnett; William H. S. Burgwyn, Northampton; John S. Calvert, New Hanover; Herman C. Caviness, Guilford; Carter Dalton, Guilford; John G. Dawson, Lenoir; Fleetwood W. Dunlap, Anson; Lewis W. Gaylord, Washington; Lemuel H. Gibbon, Lee; Donald D. Hawkins, Forsyth; James V. James Pitt; Squire S. Lawrence, Surry; Charles M. Leatherbury, Norfolk; Edward M. Linville, Forsyth; James A. Long, Alamance; Lister A. Martin, Rockingham; Allen T. Morrison, Buncombe; Herbert C. McKnight, Rowan; Ama R. McPhail, Wayne; David B. Paul, Mecklenburg; William S. [illegible]. Robinson, Wayne; Charles T. Ross, Rockingham; Edward L. Stewart, Beaufort; Colon S. Smith, Sampson; Van H. Taylor, Robeson; Stanley Winborne, Hertford; Gurney P. Hood, Wayne; Landon C. Bell, Swain; Cornelius H. Fonville, Wake; Roger D. O'Kelly, Wake; Walter R. Gudger, Buncombe; William F. Evans, Pitt; Artus A. Keener, Catawba; James W. Barry, Mecklenburg; Clyde A. Duckworth, Mecklenburg; George H. Grason, McDowell; Samuel C. Williams, Iredell; Robert A. Miller, Jr., Gaston; Richard C. Kelly, Durham; Wm. A. Thompson, Beaufort; Frank C. Brinson, Pamlico; John R. Cox, Wayne, Algie A. Brown, Buncombe; Thos. B. Galloway, Buncombe; Thos. H. Hayes, Wilkes; James W. Keel, Edgecombe.

An immense throng of people gathered at the union depot here this afternoon to meet the remains of the late Fabius H. Busbee from Seattle, Washn., where he died while attending the National Bar Association. The remains were carried to the residence on Person street, thence to Christ's Episcopal church. The services were by Bishop Joseph Blount Cheshire, assisted by Dr. I. McK. Pittinger. The funeral cortege was unusually long, the floral offerings being particularly beautiful and numerous. The burial was with the rites of the Masons, the North Carolina Grand Lodge being in attendance with Grand Master S. H. Gattis, of Hillsboro, and prominent Masons from all parts of the State present. These with members of the local and State Bar Association constituted the honorary pall-bearers.

A young white man giving his name as David Kornegay and claiming to have come from Goldsboro and Mount Olive, is in jail here charged with attempting to "beat" a board bill of $2 for himself and his wife to whom he says he has been married only nine months. A statute by the 1907 Legislature makes the act of slipping away from a boarding house without paying one's board bill a misdemeanor. B. C. Beckwith, an attorney here, has taken the case in hand without fee to make a fight against what he declares to be "imprisonment for debt." He says he may be powerless for the present to get relief from the statute for his client in the courts, but that he will at least get a subscription among his friends to pay the bill and the costs so that the young man can have a chance to find work. He claims to have come here in search of work as a painter.

There is to be a special term of Wayne Country Superior Court to relieve the congested condition of the docket beginning October 5th and continuing two weeks. The order to this effect was issued by Governor Glenn today. He has not yet designated the judge to preside.

A new enterprise for Hope Mills, Cumberland county, was chartered today. The Hope Mills Real Estate and Improvement Company. The capital

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DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

For President—W. J. Bryan, of Nebraska.
For Vice President—John W. Kern, of Indiana.

State Ticket.

For Governor—W. W. Kitchin.
For Lieutenant Governor—W. C. Rowland.
For Secretary of State—J. Bryan Grimes.
For State Treasurer—B. R. Lacy.
For State Auditor—B. F. Dixon.
For Attorney General—T. W. Bickett.
For Commissioner of Agriculture—S. A. Graham.
For Corporation Commissioner—B. R. Aycock.
For Superintendent of Education—J. Y. Joyner.
For Insurance Commissioner—J. R. Young.
For Labor Commissioner—M. L. Shipman.

Congressional Ticket.

For Congress, Sixth District—Hannibal L. Godwin.

County Ticket.

For Sheriff—S. P. Gowan.
For Treasurer—H. McL. Green.
For Register of Deeds—John Haar.
For Coroner—Dr. C. D. Bell.
For Surveyor—E. J. W. Anders.
For Constable of Wilmington Township—W. B. Savage.
For County Commissioners—D. McEachern, H. L. Vollers, M. W. Divine, P. Montgomery, W. F. Robertson.

Legislative Ticket.

For Senator—B. G. Empie.
For Representative—George L. Morton.

A CALL FOR CAMPAIGN SUBSCRIPTIONS.

The Star will receive and acknowledge contributions to the Democratic National Campaign Fund in any amount from one dollar upward, forwarding same promptly to the treasurer of the Campaign Committee.

Thousands of good Democrats in North Carolina should esteem it a privilege to contribute their portion to the success of the party.

THE BOND ISSUE ELECTION.

Our people, in making up their minds whether to vote for or against the additional road improvement bond issue should bear in mind that after January 1st neither the city nor the county will get any revenue from the saloons or the wholesale liquor business in this city. From the retail liquor business the city derives about $36,000 and the county about $12,000. When this source of revenue is cut off these taxes must be raised out of the people in some way, and it must be borne in mind that the $36,000 will not be all of the deficit Wilmington will have to make up, but to that will have to be added about eighty-five per cent of the deficit in the county's receipts, because, as we pointed out a few days ago, property in the city pays about that proportion of the tax on the property of the whole county. This will make an additional tax burden on city property of about $46.000 equal to five per cent on $920,,000, which is $236,000 more than the present bonded indebtedness of the city and $128,200 more than the combined similar indebtedness of both city and county. We have not taken into account the tax on the wholesale liquor houses, which will increase the reflcits.

The Star wishes to lay these facts before the people so they can vote intelligently. Those who favor the issue should register and vote for it. Those who oppose the issue should also register and then either vote against the issue or stay away from the polls, the latter being equal to voting against it. For those who oppose the issue to refrain from registering will aid the advocates of the measure by reducing the number of registered voters, thereby making it require a smaller number of votes to carry the election.

THE STAR'S CAMPAIGN FUND.

Mr. W. B. Cooper, one of Wilmington's leading wholesale grocery merchants and bankers, is the first to respond to the Star's call for contributions to the Democratic National campaign fund. Mr. Cooper's subscription would have been larger had he not, just before the Star's appeal, made a much greater contribution to the Democratic State campaign expenses. In making his contribution Mr. Cooper wrote the Star the following letter:

"Wilmington, N. C., Sept. 3.

"The Morning Star:—

"I beg to attach check for $5.00, contribution for the National Democratic Committee. It seems to me that the Star along with other newspapers in the State deserve the thanks of the party for the efforts they are making along this line. I am sorry not to make the amount larger.

"Yours very truly,
"W. B. COOPER."

Who will be the next man to come forward with his contribution? The Star is ready to receive and forward all sums handed in. Contributions from one dollar up will be thankfully received. We hope that our people will be liberal in their response to this call, for the money is needed by the managers of the campaign and they have the people alone to look to for financial aid.

The Star would be glad if its Democratic funds in the towns in this section would aid it in raising funds for this purpose. Let some good Democrat in each town and village take the matter up and see how much he can raise, taking any subscription offered as low as one dollar.

JAPAN IN NO CONDITION FOR WAR.

The recent action of the Japanese Ministry in regard to national finances ought to convince even Congressman Hobson that Japan is not seeking or contemplating war with the United States. It ought to close the mouths of the sensationalists who are trying to convince the American people that war with the Island Empire is imminent. Japan is in no condition to enter into war with any nation and no one knows it better than she does. As to what is going on in Japan as evidence of this fact is thus set forth by the Virginian-Pilot·

"The statesmen of Japan, instead of devoting their efforts to the placing of their military establishment on a war basis, are absorbed in heroic endeavors to reduce expenditures within limits which will enable the government to preserve its credit in the face of the enormous debt which was the legacy of the conflict with Russia. Retrenchment in all departments has been recignized as the only alternative to national bankruptcy, and coincidently with the postponement of the Nippon Exposition to the year 1917, the Cabinet announces a curtailment in the budget of one hundred millions annually, thirty millions of which is to come off of the appropriation for the army and navy. In the face of a pregnant fact like this it is sheer absurdity to claim that Japan is meditating hostile projects against the United States or any other first class power. The essential need and the one prayer of her enlightened rulers is for an interval of peace in which to recuperate her resources and consolidate the fruits of a dearly won victory. The one haunting dread and the one real peril of Japan is that Russia will resume hostilities before her whilom conqueror is ready to wage another struggle on a gigantic scale."

JUDGE PEEBLES SUNDAY SCHOOL

Judge Peebles has aroused the indignation of Sunday School people by judicially declaring that Sunday school exercises do not come within the meaning of the words "public worship," as used in the criminal laws of this State. In Swain county two young men were indicted for disturbing Sunday school exercises under the act against disturbing public worship, and the indictments were dismissed by the Judge for the reason above given. He illustrated his view of the law by saying that "the eLgislatures open with prayer every day, but no one would argue for a moment that they are religious bodies or their proceeding a public worship."

If the Judge is correct in his view of the law then that law should be amended so as to declare such exercises to be within the meaning of the criminal statute against disturbing public worship.

Persons who intend registering for the bond issue election should remember that the registrars are required to be at their respective polling places today to register all who may desire to do so. They are required to do the same on next Saturday which will be the last day of registration, though persons can register any time during the first five days of the week when they can find the registrar of their precinct.

Some of the papers opposed to Mr. Bryan state that he has said he is going to New York to find out for himself whether or not Murphy is acting honestly in political matters. This is the first time it was even intimated that Bryan was a fool, whatever else his enemies may have said against him.

The Galveston News of last Tuesday was a splendid paper of 28 pages. It contains an illustrated supplement, consisting of a write-up of the city and the State of Texas. It shows the wonderful progress and the magnificent future of the two.

CURRENT COMMENT.

—Ours is rapidly becoming a government of the President of the United States, who is invested with more political power and more official patronage than any other public functionary in Christendom. For more than a score of years the tendency has been toward the absorption of power by the Federal establishment, and every community, South as well as North, that stumps its toe runs to Washington for salve and a rag. Hence the innumerable commissions that have in ward the people. One commission has in charge some 225,000 miles of railroads, and the clamor is for additional power to be conferred on that body. The result of this is that railroad construction, improvement, and equipment are practically at a standstill, for no government ever yet undertook to do for the people what they could better do for themselves without disastrous results.—Washington Post.

—Says the Norfolk Landmark: "Wouldn't our good friend, the Columbia State, serve Mr. Bryan's cause better by other tactics than finding fault with fellow Democratic newspapers which do not support Mr. Bryan just as The State would like? It seems so to us, in all candor." Bless your heart, contemporary, we are not enlisted in "Mr. Bryan's cause" for better or for worse; it is the cause of Democracy that The State is concerned about. And when we see one of our "fellow Democratic newspapers" doing that which we know to be to the injury of Democratic chances of success it is a duty to direct attention to the peculiar situation. And the justness of The State's "fault finding" is proved by the inability of those misdirected contemporaries to defend themselves. We follow the very simple rule, that the newspaper sincerely desirous of the election of the party's candidate should work for that candidate all the time, and never against him. If the paper can not support the party's candidate, then it should announce its inability to do so, and, temporarily, at least, retire from the party.—Columbia State.

—One of the members of the Monetary Commission just returned from Eurpoe says truly: "It does not follow that a system which may be thoroughly satisfactory in a country like France or England should be best adapted to the United States, with its great expanse of territory and its enormous and incresing business." While there are certain fundamental principles of money and currency that are immutable and applicable everywhere alike, systems of organization and methods of banking differ. They are determined by the conditions in the midst of which they have developed and by traditions that have grown up with them. In this country, with its wide area, its varied conditions, its division into States that are independent in most of the functions of internal administration, and the distinction of State and Federal jurisdiction it will never be practicable to concentrate banking in one central institution or put it largely under the controlling influence of such an institution. Anything corresponding to the Bank of England or the Bank of Germany or France is out of the question in the United States. There might be a banking institution which should act as the fiscal agent of the Federal Government, but we are more likely to have a number of such in different parts of the country, corresponding to the present sub-treasuries.—Journal of Commerce.

TWINKLINGS.

—Always an Army—Father—Well? Tommy—Why isn't there ever a navy of the unemployed.—New York Sun.

—She—But would you still love me if you got rich? He—Don't be unreasonable.—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

—"It is easier to be good than great" remarked the moralizer. "Yes," rejoined the demoralizer, "one has less opposition."—Chicago Daily News.

—"Yes," said Mrs. Newrich, "I treat my domestics as equals." "And don't they resent it?" queried Mrs. Oldgold.—Hamilton Spectator.

"When is an expensive thing cheap?" "It never is." "Yes, indeed." "When?" "When it makes all the people you don't like die of envy."—Nashville American.

—Captious Customer—I want a piece of meat without any bone, fat or gristle. Bewildered Butcher—Madam, I think you'd better have an egg.—The Sketch.

—"Don't you enjoy the glories of summer?" "Yes," answered the unpoetic person: "It is something of a comfort to find the gas bills getting so much smaller."—Washington Star.

—"Couldn't yer git a meal from dat woman?" asked Weary Walker. "Naw, an' I ast 'er fur it perlite as yer please, too." "An' didn't say nothin'?" "Naw, she didn't say nothin' but 'saw wood,'"—Philadelphia Press.

—"Wasn't their divorce a shocking affair?" said Mrs. Feathergilt. "Inexcusable," answered Mrs. Smartset. "They both had the most unfashionable lawyers they could find."—St. Louis Republic.

—Very Appropriate—"My hair is falling out," admitted the timid man in a drug store. "Can you recommend something to keep it in?" "Certainly," replied the obliging clerk. "Get a box."—Lippincott's Magazine.

—Grammatically Speaking—He—Can you explain to me the difference between "shall and "will"? For example, if I say, "Will you marry me"? should you reply, "I shall," or "I will"? She (coldly)—I should reply "I won't."—Home Herald.

—"Millie," said the young man, as he slipped the engagement ring on her finger, "have you told your mother about this?" "Oh, you innocent!" exclaimed Miss Millie. "Why, Clarence, mamma knew it six months before you did."—Chicago Tribune.

ILLINOIS FACTIONAL FIGHT

Chairman Hitchcock May Have to Act as Peacemaker.

Chicago, Sept. 2.—Chairman Frank H. Hitchcock of the Republican National Committee has found a political problem in Illinois that is causing him about as much worry as the Hughes situation in New York State. The recent primaries engendered so much bitterness between the Deneen and Yates factions over the Governorship and the Hopkins and Foss factions over the Senatorship, that the party leaders have found it necessary to direct their attention toward the formation of a harmony programme. If it is possible to do so, these State leaders will draw Mr. Hitchcock into the case as an arbitrator.

During the day Chairman Hitchcock had conferences with Speaker Cannon, Representative McKinley, Chairman of the Congressional Committee; Senator Hopkins, Governor Deneen, Representative Chapman, Representative Lowden, a member of the Executive Committee of the National Committee, and Fred C. Upham, Assistant Treasurer of the committee. It is known that Mr. Hitchcock was urged to use his influence to get all forces in the party back of the campaign to be made by Governor Deneen for re-election and to bring Representative Foss and his friends in line for Senator Hopkins.

In other States Mr. Hitchcock's policy has been not to interfere, but it is pointed out that if the Illinois dispute is permitted to continue, the effect may prove embarrassing to the National campaign.

JUST A QUESTION OF GIRLS

Sheriff Couldn't Tell Prisoner From Her Sisters, So Charge Failed.

(New York Times.)

After charging his prisoner, a pretty young girl, with a second offense in exceeding the speed limit in Suffolk County, L. I., yesterday morning, Sheriff Wells was nonplussed when two other pretty young girls, both duplicates of the prisoner, ranged themselves alongside the one accured. The trio smiled, and the Sheriff couldn't tell one from the other. So his charge of second offense fell flat.

Martin Metzner of Lake Ronkonkoma has three charming young daughters, who look so much alike that even their friends have difficulty in distinguishing one from the other. Sheriff Wells arrested one of the sisters some time ago for speeding. She gave the name "Miss Metzner" and paid her fine of $10.

Yesterday he arrested another Miss Metzner, or was it the same? Who could say? She wouldn't, and her sisters wouldn't. She was taken before Justice of the Peace Wright, in Islip, where Sheriff Wells told at what a rate she had been tearing along the Suffolk County roads.

"It is a second offense, your Honor," he said, in conclusion.

Then the sisters ranged alongside.

"Are you sure it wasn't I?" each one asked in turn, as they stood up beside their accused sister.

"Blest if I know," admitted the puzzled Sheriff.

The prisoner pleaded guilty to the speeding charge, but not to the second offense, and the Justice fined her $10, which she paid, and then the three Miss Metzners departed in triumph.

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Advertising Makes Business Hum

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WILMINGTON, N. C.

Jun 24-tf.

Star Business Locals Pay.

A Brief Elopement

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None of the boy pupils in attendance at the Union school in Medina that particular winter that Professor Wellman was principal had the slightest idea that he had any romance in his soul. He hunted for boys to lick; he gave out double lessons; he scared little girls half to death with his scowls."

And yet the professor was bubbling over with soft heartedness and only waited an opportunity to develop it. The opportunity came two months after he did, and he was embracing it at the same time that we were calling him a stony hearted wretch and predicting that he would never find a woman to marry him. The professor, being a bachelor, went to board in the family of Deacon Hardman. The deacon had been a widower for five years and had at last at the age of forty-five married a girl of twenty-three. He was accounted a fatherly man and a good man, and it soon became common gossip that his young wife was making things bad for him. In the schoolmaster she had some one to tell her troubles to. What he didn't see as an inmate of the house she would tell him. When she became confidential he became her champion. She told him of the deacon slapping her mouth, and he shuddered. She told him of being choked, and he bubbled. She told him of being dragged around by the hair of the head and sat on, and he wanted to take the husband's life.

According to the young wife, the deacon was sly. He would call her his birdie at the table and half an hour later chastise her and squeeze her throat in the bedroom. He would sing hymns with her in the sitting room and threaten to murder her down cellar. The professor saw nothing, but heard all. His pity, indignation, sympathy and several other sentiments were aroused.

One day the deacon had to go over to Berryville on business that would detain him two days. He went by train, leaving the old horse and buggy at home. That night his wife and the schoolmaster eloped. Their trunks were packed and tied on to the buggy, and they set out to drive a distance of twenty-five miles to the train.

They had scarcely got clear of the town when the old horse, which had no sentiment in his soul and was not a bit interested in elopements, fell down and broke the shaft. Up to this moment the wife had been as soft as butter and as tender as chicken, but now she suddenly changed and called the professor names. She called him a doughhead and a fool and a lot of other things that astonished him, but by and by he repaired the broken shaft and a new start was made.

A mile farther on it began to rain. It was a cold rain. It was a rain that meant business. It soaked them to the skin in ten minutes. Then the deacon's birdie swore. She swore cheerfully and freely. The astonished professor chided her, and she slapped his mouth. He expressed his belief that she wasn't the martyr he took her for, and she slapped it again.

By and by the rain held up. It will do that sometimes, no matter whether you are eloping or out on the road buying hogs. Then a new start was made. The professor was between two minds. He didn't know whether to keep on and save the woman from further chokings or go back and lick the boys harder than ever, and as a consequence he drove into a mudhole, the whole outfit sticking fast. Thinking he had arrived at the end of his journey, the old horse lay down and allowed the buggy to settle to the hubs. The woman swore some more. She also clawed the professor's face.

It took an hour to make the horse understand that the journey had just begun and to extricate the vehicle, and then a new start was made for an island in the Pacific. Sentiment had chilled, but not killed. They had made another half mile and were talking about the way the husband had menaced her with the crowbar when both front wheels of the weary buggy went down in unison, the old horse staggered and lurched around, and finally the outfit rolled down the bank into a creek. The woman was the first out. She welcomed the professor with language and kicks. She made a new attack on him with fists and fingers. In fact, he had to haul off and hit her in the nose in self defense. The professor crawled up the bank and started back for the village. If any observations followed him he gave them no heed. He knew that he was followed for some distance by a woman with a club, but in the darkness he had all the advantage.

On Saturday and Sunday we saw the professor about. He looked like a man that had loved and lost. The deacon got home Sunday night to find that his wife had gone, and certain folks said that they hadn't seen him look so relieved since his marriage. He was even jocular and jolly in his talk. On Monday morning we were in school at the usual hour. So was the professor. That something was about to happen we could all see. Something did. He began with the biggest boy in school and went down to the smallest girl and administered to each one a thorough tanning.

Then he remarked that school was dismissed pending the arrival of a new teacher, and he headed the procession as we all walked out. We were glad at the time, but conscience stricken later on. We had sized him up as possessing a heart of stone, whereas he was simply bubbling over with tenderness for his fellow men. The deacon's wife never returned. She continued on and eloped by herself. M. QUAD.

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A Star Business Local Is a Business Winner

The Morning Star.

Saturday, September 5, 1908.

WEATHER REPORT.

Department of Agriculture Weather Bureau.

Wilmington, N. C., Sept. 5, 1908.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 P. M. Friday, Sept. 4:

Temperature at 8 A. M. 66 degrees; 8 P. M. 70 degrees; maximum 80 degrees; minimum 62 degrees; mean 71 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00; rainfall for the month, 00

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville Thursday at 8 P. M. 22.7 feet and falling.

Weather Forecast.

For North Carolina—Fair in east, showers in west portion Saturday, Sunday local showers; light variable winds.

Port Calendar—Sept 5.

Sun Rises.....5:36 A. M.
Sun Sets.....6:22 P. M.
Day's Leigth.....13 hrs 1 min.
High water at Southport 2:07 A. M.
High water at Wilmington 4:37 A. M.

NEW ADVTRTISEMENTS.

Roger Moore—Notice.
Palace Market—Beef.
E. Warren & Son—Ice Cream.
Wrightsville Beach—Labor Day.
Frank Herbst—Peerless Maxwell.
American National Bank—You Will.
J. H. Rehder & Co.—Carpets and Matting.

Business Locals.

Smith & Lord—For Rent.
Young Man—Position Wanted.
C. P. B. Mahler—Desirable Property
Mason & Williams—Country Produce.
Str. Wilmington—Harvest Moon Excursion.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. B. F. Aycock, of Fremont, was a guest at The Orton yesterday.

—Mr. O. P. Johnson, of Burgaw, was a Wilmington visitor yesterday.

—Mr. W. B. Borden, of Rocky Mount, was registered at The Orton last night.

—Mr. S. C. Gore, of Mollie, Columbus county, was a visitor at the Star office yesterday.

—Mrs. H. K. Nash and two children left yesterday on a visit to relatives in Tarboro.

—Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Gore after a pleasant visit of several weeks to Hiddenite have returned home.

—Howard C. Curtis, Esq., of Southport was in the city yesterday on his way to Raleigh on a business trip.

—Mr. and Mrs. Geo. S. Edwards have returned from a very pleasant visit to friends and relatives in Virginia.

—Mr. and Mrs. B. H. J. Ahrens returned home yesterday after a pleasant visit of several weeks at Hot Springs, Va.

—Mr. C. H. Fore left last night for New York, on a trip of a few days. Mrs. Fore is spending some time at Macon, N. C., visiting her relatives.

—Judge Walter H. Neal, of Laurinburg, was a Wilmington visitor yesterday, returning from Goldsboro where he has been holding Wayne Superior Court.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Springer left yesterday morning for Richmond, Va., where they will spend a week or ten days as the guest of their daughter, Mrs. A. J. Gray, Jr.

—Mrs. W. F. Carpenter and daughters, Misses Laura and Lillian, have returned from Asheville and the mountains of Western North Carolina where they have been spending some time.

—Mrs. Robert N. Nash and children left yesterday for Atlanta, where they will join her husband, who recently decided to locate in that city. They have many Wilmington friends, who regret to see them leave, but wish them well in their new home.

—Dr. and Mrs. L. H. Love, who have been spending a delightful Summer at Masonboro Sound with relatives and friends, left yesterday afternoon for Baltimore and New York, with both regrets and well wishes of their many kind friends.

—Durham Sun: "Mr. J. O. Brock, the well known electrical contractor, of Wilmington, is here with several men to begin the wiring of the new Watts Hospital. He will spend very little of his time here, but will make trips to his home and other cities, where he has contracts, returning at intervals to do general inspecting."

HADSOME NEW CLUB HOUSE

Costly Structure Being Erected by Cape Fear Golf Club.

Commodious quarters for the Cape Fear Golf Club are being rapidly constructed at an expenditure of several thousand dollars, at the golf grounds east of the city, on the suburban line of the Tidewater Power Company. The structure will be true in all of its appointments and will doubtless be one of the finest in the State. The plans and specifications accepted show the building completed to be one of unusual size and will be one and one half stories in height. The first floor is arranged for an assembly hall, which will be amply large enough for dances, and other departments on this floor consist of a dressing room for the ladies and a kitchen. The half story will show the building up very handsomely with its large gable windows. The club house will be ideal in every respect and the contract calls for its completion by the first of October, at the opening of the Winter season. Many pleasant gatherings are anticipated by the members. Those who compose the building committee and have charge of the erection of the new home for the club are Major E. W. VanCourt Lucas, chairman; W. D. MacMillan, Jr., treasurer; H. DeW. Rapalje, secretary; Messrs. C. E. Taylor, Hugh MacRae, A. S. Williams and Donald MacRae.

LOCAL DOTS.

—The registration books for the bond election will close next Saturday, September 12th.

—Register today for the bond election. Every taxpayer is interested in this matter.

—You may registerd wherever you can find the registrars, but they are required to be at the polling places only today and next Saturday for the road bond election.

—The New York Cotton Exchange will suspend business today and Monday in honor of Labor Day. Notice has also been given that the Chicago Board of trade will suspend Monday.

—The Star will receive contributions to the National Democratic campaign fund in sums of $1 or more. Receipt will be acknowledged and amounts forwarded to Governor Haskell, the treasurer.

—A small blaze at the one-story house in Wilson's Ailey, in the southern part of the city, caused a damage of about $10 yesterday afternoon. The fire department responded to the call, which was sent in from box 51.

—The alarm of fire from box 43 a few minutes after 11 o'clock last night was on account of a slight blaze in the cabin of some river craft at foot of Orange street. The fire was extinguished without the assistance of the department.

—By a lease filed for record yesterday The Worth Company leased to the Clyde Steamship Company for a period of five years from October 1st 1908 for an annual rental of $2,850, a portion of the "Worth & Worth" naval store yard and wharf lying west of a line beginning at southwest corner of the warehouse on Grace street, running with the west end of the same to the northwest corner and thence parallel with shed on the wharf to the spirit shed, the lessors reserving certain rights as to the discharge of vessels for themselves.

A WONDERFUL NOVELTY.

French Cameraphone Open Season at Popular Crystal Palace.

The management of the Crystal Palace is in high glee over securing the famous French Cameraphone for the opening attraction, commencing Labor Day with a matinee performance at 3 o'clock. Other performances will follow as soon thereafter as can be given, both afternoon and night, and will, no doubt, be necessary to accommodate the crowds, because everywhere the wonderful talking-picture machine has been exhibited there has been capacity business. Yesterday's Raleigh News and Observer states that the Academy of Music in Raleigh could not accommodate the people who wanted to see the Cameraphone Thursday. The exhibitions here will be given by a most competent company, including several experienced and very fine operators, who are carried by the company to manipulate the electrical effects used in the exhibitions.

The Palace will have on a bright new dress for the opening, the finishing touches to the new decorations and other improvements being placed today, and will be kept cool by six large and powerful electric fans, which will send their breeze over ice placed in front of them.

The hours for the performance next week will be at 3, 4 and 5 o'clock in the afternoons and at 7, 8, 9, and 10 o'clock at night, and the price of admission will be 10 cents.

DAMAGE AT BLEWETT FALLS

Not So Large as First Reported to Rockingham Power Company.

In its resume of the damage by the recent floods in Anson county, the Wadesboro Messenger-Intelligencer of this week has the following in regard to the situation at Blewett Falls, the plant of the Rockingham Power Company:

"Fortunately the damage at Blewett Falls is not nearly so great as it was feared it would be. The Rockingham Power Co., will lose between $3,000 and $4,000, and W. R. Bonsall & Co. about $2,000. Two large derricks and a boiler, the property of W. R. Bonsall & Co., were washed away. One of the derricks was found ten miles, and the other four miles, down stream.

"The current below the dam at the Falls was something fierce. So great was its force that about 25 large pine trees, a short distance down the river, were washed away, not a vestige of them remaining to mark the spot where they stood."

SERVICES AT DELGADO.

Rev. William Black, of Charlotte, to Conduct Series of Meetings.

The people of Delgado village and vicinity are to have the rare pleasure and privilege during the coming week of hearing Rev. William Black, D. D., of Charlotte, preach and Mr. Burr, of Canada, sing the gospel. The series will continue through the week. The public is cordially invited and all who have ever heard Mr. Black know what a great treat is in store for them.

Order in Coast Line Case.

A special dispatch from Asheville, N. C., says: "Judge Pritchard has signed a final decree in the case of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad to the extent of permitting the company to put into effect passenger rates agreed upon by the railroads and the Legislature. This leaves open the question as to the liability of the railroad company upon its bond to secure the holders of coupons in cases whereby tickets were purchased pending the injunction which was issued by the court in the first instance."

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The Steamer Wilmington will leave Sunday for Carolina Beach and Southport, at 9:15 A. M. and 2:30 P. M. **

EMBRYO BARRISTERS

(Continued from first page.)

is $5,000 authorized and $2,000 subscribed by L. C. McDuffie and others.

The citizens of Durham and the Southern Railway Company, are still "at outs" over the division of the costs in the construction of an overhead crossing for Gregson street and there is to be a hearing before the Corporation Commission here Monday. The Commission some time ago decreed that the town of Durham should pay $1,000 toward the cost of the work and the railroad company the remainder, amounting to several thousands. However the Southern has excepted to this ruling and the hearing Monday is to afford the railroad company opportunity to be heard on its exceptions.

There has come to the Secretary of State a letter from J. B. Mock, Savannah, Ga., to the effect that the people of Savannah are mystified over the finding of a skeleton while digging up a street to put down curbing, there being close by the skeleton no mark of identification save a brass button with the embossed initials "D. S." in the center and "Davis School N. C." encircling it. He wrote that there was hope of developing some identity through this button and asked the Secretary of State to place the button if possible. The button is that of Davis Military School which was run for many years in Winston-Salem but closed a number of years ago. There seems to be little or no possibility of identifying the skeleton through the button as hundreds of boys from this and other States attended the Davis School.

Colonel F. A. Olds is just back from a two weeks trip through forty or more of the Western Carolina counties in search of things of historic value that can be placed in the Hall of History here. Colonel Olds says his trip was very successful. He is director of the Hall of History.

A Bryan-Kitchin Democratic Club of Raleigh was organized here tonight and 107 members were elected. Alex. Stronach is president and E. L. Conn secretary. The Club invited Senator Overman to speak here next Tuesday night.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

Announcement by Wilmington Pastors For Services Tomorrow.

Immanuel Presbyterian Church, Front and Queen streets, Rev. J. S. Crowley, pastor: Services at 11 A. M., and 8 P. M., tomorrow, Sunday School at 10 A. M. Mid-week service Wednesday night at 8 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend any or all of these services.

St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, corner of Fourth and Campbell streets, Rev. Alex. D. McClure, D. D., pastor: Sabbath services at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M.; Sabbath School at 4 P. M. W. C. E. Society at 7:15 P. M.; Prayer meeting and lecture Wednesday at 8 P. M. The public is cordially invited. Seats free.

First Presbyterian Church, corner South Third and Orange streets: Public worship on Sunday at 11 A. M. and 5 P. M. The pastor, Rev. J. M. Wells, D. D., has returned to the city and will preach at both services. Prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 8:15 P. M. All are cordially invited to these services.

Religious services will be conducted at the Seamen's Bethel tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock by the chaplain. Seamen and Rivermen are especially invited. All are welcome.

EXCURSION FROM CONCORD.

One of the Last of Season Arrived in Wilmington Yesterday.

Probably the last excursion of the Summer season arrived in Wilmington from Concord last night about 8 o'clock, over the Atlantic Coast Line, bringing between five and six hundred passengers from interior points along the route. The excursionists will remain in Wilmington until this evening at 5 o'clock when the return trip will be made.

This is one of the largest excursions of the season to this city, many of the visitors having taken advantage of the trip on account of the pleasant weather, and will enjoy an outing at Wrightsville Beach, while on their short visit.

EMPLOYERS, ATTENTION!

You nearly all of you have some man or men in your employ whose services are valuable, but impaired through excessive drinking. You have men you would like to advance to responsible positions were it not for drink; others you will have to discharge if they don't quit drinking.

Do you know that I cure the liquor habit to stay cured?

Do you know that the biggest railroad companies will reinstate men after they have taken my cure?

Do you know the Western Union Telegraph Company sends me annually many men to be cured at our Alabama sanatorium.

Do you know that the Chicago Traction Company does the same, as well as many other big companies?

If you have a valuable man who is drinking to excess don't discharge him; cure him. You will retain his services and at the same time render him an inestimable service.

I cure without detention from business, without the use of harmful drugs or dangerous hypodermics, and I have the only cure that leaves the mind clear and the system unimpaired. I have cured over 50,000 men. Send your men to me. Consultation free and confidential.

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36-inch American Fibre Mattings, 50c quality, small hall patterns, colors blue and red, this sale 37 1-2c
65c quality, in wide range of patterns and color assortment, red, brown, green, blue, tan and combination colors, this sale.....47 1-2c
40c one-yard wide Ingrain Carpets, this sale..35c
60c one-yard wide Union Ingrain Carpet, assorted patterns and colors.....48c

25c Japanese Cotton Warp Matting, red and green and good range of patterns, this sale 19c
35c Japanese and China Matting, this sale, only 25c
Matting Rugs, 36x36, this sale.....35c
Matting Rugs, 36x72, this sale.....75c
Fibre Matting Rugs, 30x60, this sale.....98c
Fibre Matting Rugs, 36x72, this sale.....$1.39
Velvet Runners, 3-4x9 feet.....$4.98
Door Mats, all sizes.....50c, 75c, $1.00, $1.50
Trunks, Bags, Suit Cases, Window Shades, Portieres, Lace Curtains, Curtain Rods and Curtain Poles, all on second floor, carpet department.

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The above advertisement was composed by my seven year-old-son, John Freeman Gaylord, who was in the chicken yard building a duck-coop and had the misfortune to stick a nail in his foot. His mother put him to bed and as he could not use his feet he began to use his head and had his mother to be penman while he dictated this little ad. The advice he gives "Buy your goods from George O. Gaylord" is seconded by many a voice. The fair dealing and low prices backed by the immense stock of goods, shown in a large and beautiful store that carries an assortment of merchandise that is used to make comfort and happiness in almost every step of life. The main reason why we can under-sell competition is that the different stores that you enter through our door is under one management and one expense. This will prove to your advantage in buying goods from us.

To explain the things we carry we have only a few words to say. We are receiving new goods every day, embroidery, in a recent shipment will prove to the tasty buyer the most beautiful selection that has ever been seen in this city. The assortment in baby embroidery, the dainty little patterns with insertions to match will be interesting to the mother also a full assortment of widths to the limit of 27 inches. This embrodery came directly from Europe, and was an inducement to us on account of its extreme beauty and low prices. The assortment is very large and ranges in price from 3 1-2c to 50c a yard, flouncing twelve inches wide, regular price 25c now 15c a yard, beautiful band insertion that sold for 35c regular are today on sale at 19c and all other widths in proportion. Torchon and Val Laces are in the same department and are sold so cheap that you will be tempted to buy by the dozen instead of the yard. Ladies Tailor-made Suits and Skirts on display, and Muslin Underwear that is well made and beautifully trimmed. Matting will be laid free of charge to you and sold as usual. A sale in odds and ends on men's shoes, they are the best and the cut in the price is almost half. Don't wait, time changes and so do prices, they have reached their limit now. Remember our premium department, which we operate by redeeming our own stamps. Our premiums are the best.

The Big Store on N. Front St.

GEO. O. GAYLORD, Proprietor.

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DOCTOR'S DEATH MYSTERY

Mrs. Rustin Gives Detailed Account of Singular Circumstances—Woman Arrested Who Was Last Seen With Him.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Omaha, Neb., Sept. 4.—Seated in the room with the coffin containing the body of her dead husband, shot mysteriously on his front porch early Tuesday morning, Mrs. Frederick T. Rustin today gave her first interview. Mrs. Rustin is bordering on nervous collapse. She said: "This is what happened on that night so far as I have any knowledge. I was awakened by a pistol shot. I waited some time and something impelled me to go down stairs and see what was the matter. I went down and opening the door slightly, looked through the crack. I saw my husband, Dr. Rustin, sitting in a chair and looking as though he was introuble.

"Then I threw the door wide open and rushed out on to the porch and over to he chair in which he sat. Oh, what is the matter, Fred? What has happened to you?' I exclaimed. 'A man has shot me,' he mumbled, and then fainted.

"My first thought was to get him to bed. I grabbed him in my arms and started dragging him toward the door. He is a large man and it was all I could do to carry him along. But I managed to get him in just within the doorway. Then I screamed to my maid for assistance. When the maid reached me she found Dr. Rustin on the floor just within the door. That accounts for the reports that the doctor was within the door when the fatal shot was fired."

"Why were the police not notified?" was asked.

"I did not know of such matters. My one thought was for my husband and I never thought of reporting the matter to the authorities for some time. Then I spoke to the physicians about it and they said they would attend to that. But in the hurry for the operation which was performed, they forgot to do so until after the death."

"It is reported that Dr. Rustin committed suicide. Do you think he did?"

"I am sure not. I have no theory as to who committed the deed, but I have no doubt Dr. Rustin was murdered. We had been married for more than ten years and during that time I never received a cross word from my husband. His conduct towards me was all that a husband should be. My friends had often commented upon the gentleness with which Dr. Rustin treated me and his children.

"The officers will have every assistance from me in their efforts to solve the mystery of my husband's death."

This afternoon the police arrested Miss Leonora Bonnell and will detain her at the city jail until the inquest next Tuesday. No charge has been placed against the woman but she has admitted she was the last person in company of Dr. Frederick Rustin before he reached his home the night he was killed and she is held pending developments.

Y. M. C. A. NOTES.

Night School Will Commence Oct. 5th. Services on Seminole Sunday.

The annual session of night school at the Y. M. C. A. will commence October 5th. Prof. J. B. Huff will have charge of the English course and Mr. L. D. Latta will teach penmanship and book-keeping.

Two Y. M. C. A. workers have been invited to conduct service on the Revenue Cutter Seminole on Sunday evening. Mr. H. E. O'Keefe will be soloist and an address will be made by Secretary Kettle.

There will be a business meeting of the Boys' Department this evening at 8 o'clock.

SCHLOSS THEATRE CIRCUIT.

House at Wilson Secured—Goldsboro, Tarboro and Rocky Mount.

A special to the Raleigh News and Observer from Wilson says that the unsatisfactory conditions in theatrical circles there for the past two or three years are to be improved the coming season by the lease of the Lyceum theatre of that city to Mr. S. A. Schloss, of Wilmington, who will add the house to his already large circuit in the Southern States. The special says that Mr. Schloss has also added to his circuit the houses at Goldsboro and Tarboro and will also probably secure the one at Rocky Mount.

IT'S ALWAYS BAD.

The Best of Backs Are Bad When They Ache, and Wilmington People Know It.

A bad back is always bad.
Bad at night when bedtime comes.
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Ever try Doan's Kidney Pills for it?
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Wm. L. Benson, 618 South Second street, Wilmington, N. C., says: "Doan's Kidney Pills which I procured from Robert R. Bellamy's drug store did me more good than anything I ever used. My back ached most of the time and I could not stoop or life without having sharp pains shoot through my body. Morning my back was so lame and sore that it was hard for me to get out of bed. The kidney secretions were of a high color and contained a great amount of sediment. Doan's Kidney Pills stopped the pains in my back and made the action of the kidneys regular. I have such great confidence in this remedy that I advise its use to anyone suffering from kidney complaint."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name — Doan's and take no other

LABOR LEADER IS DEAD

Commissioner General of Immigration Frank Pierce Sargent, Succumbs to Stroke of Paralysis—Man of Influence.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Washington, Sept. 4.—Frank Pierce Sargent, Commissioner General of Immigration, for over 16 years Grand Master of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and one of the most forceful characters in the field of labor, immigration and allied questions in the country, died at his apartments at the Manor house in this city today. He was 54 years old. So many weeks a paralytic, the result of a fall while visiting in Shepperdstown, W. Va., in July, he had shown much improvement until Wednesday evening last when a sinking spell set in from which he never rallied.

The death of the former leader and friend of organized labor of whom it was said that no railroad magnate ever refused to see him when he was at the head of the brotherhood, was a surprise to the department of commerce and labor officials.

Secretary Straus was much affected.

Mr. Sargent was a native of East Orange, Vermont. He worked for a while in New England mills and then because of impaired health went to Arizona where as a United States cavalryman he participated in the Apache Indian campaign and later began his labor career as an engine wiper on the Southern Pacific railroad. For five years he fired engines on that system. In 1885 he began his tenure of office as head of the Order of Locomotive Firemen. He exerted every effort toward avoidance of strikes and won the confidence of both the railroad officials and the members of his own organization. President McKinley twice offered him office, first, as a member of the Industrial Commission and later a director of the Bureau of Engraving and Printing but he declined both tenders. He had served as the head of the Government Immigrantion since 1902 since appointment by the President and he showed an enthusiastic, sympathetic interest in the many problems arising in that work.

Carriers Meet Here Labor Day.

The Eastern District Association of the Rural Letter Carriers will gather here Monday in annual session and the meeting promises to be a very profitable one to the large number of carriers expected. The counties represented will be New Hanover, Pender Duplin, Brunswick, Bladen and Columbus. The meeting will be in progress only one day and will be held in the Elks' Temple.

A GERMAN SATIRE.

The Forgotten Life and the Sad Fate of the Herring.

The experiments of men of science sometimes furnish amusement to those who are not particularly interested in the slow, minute and apparently insignificant investigations by means of which important physical facts are learned. It is interesting to know that if we cut off the tails of forty successive generations of mice at their birth not one mouse, even in the fourth generation, will be born without a tail. But when the man of science was engaged in cutting off the baby mice's tails all the world laughed at him. The slow experiments to test the possibility that by degrees an animal may change its habitat—a land animal taking to water, and so on—were thus amusingly satirized in Germany:

Some time ago Herr Professor Schlitzer, the eminent biologist who is making experiments relative to the changes of habitat made by animals, captured a live herring. He took the fish home and kept it in a large vat of salt water. Every morning the professor dipped out of this vat half a teaspoonful of salt water and replaced it with an equal amount of fresh water.

The herring survived and passed his days apparently in the best of spirits. In the course of time the water in the tank was rendered completely fresh. Not a grain of salt was left in it. And still the herring remained cheerful and in good health. Next the herr professor began to deprive the fish, little by little, of the fresh water element in which he lived. In this also he was successful, and after a time the herring gamboled around in a perfectly dry tank.

The herr professor next put the fish in a birdcage, and the intelligent creature continued to thrive. But one day the herr professor noticed that something seemed to be the matter with his pet.

He had forgotten to give it anything to drink.

Thereupon he put a dish of water in the cage.

The next morning, when the herr professor came to look at his fish, a melancholy sight met his gaze. The herring had fallen head first into the dish of water and had been drowned.—Harper's Weekly.

Best the World Affords.

"It gives me unbounded pleasure to recommend Bucklen's Arnica Solve," says J. W. Jenkins, of Chapel Hill, N. C. "I am convinced it's the best salve the world affords. It cured a felon on my thumb, and it never fails to heal every sore, burn or wound to which it is applied. 25c at R. R. Bellamy's drug store.

The Steamer Wilmington will leave Sunday for Carolina Beach and Southport, at 9:15 A. M. and 2:30 P. M. **

Canoe Races on Labor Day

Canoe races at the Beach Labor Day —Music all day at Lumina. **

The Steamer Wilmington will leave Sunday for Carolina Beach and Southport, at 9:15 A. M. and 2:30 P. M. **

The Yankee Pass.

(Original.)

It was at a period soon after the close of the Revolutionary war that Aaron Whitney, a Yankee peddler, passed through the Mohawk valley on his way to Albany. The day was Sunday, and there was a law among the Dutchmen of those parts that no one should travel on that day. Moreover, there was as much antipathy between Dutchmen and Yankees as there is between cats and mice. How the Dutch ever left Holland to make homes in a new country beyond the sea no historian has ever explained, for when a Dutchman was once settled anywhere he never moved. Not so the Yankee. He would take up a piece of land, improve it, sell it and go somewhere else.

"Mein Gott," exclaimed one of the deacons of the Dutch church, "see that Yankee traveling on the Lord's day! Was ever such blasphemy? Let us take him before Justice Van der Donk, who will doubtless mete out his punishment."

So they took Aaron before the justice. He was sitting under an apple tree near his house, with a glass of schnapps beside him and a long clay pipe in his mouth. This is not mentioned as an unusual position for the great man, for all the long day he sat in no other. As Aaron was taken before him the peddler saw a pair of blue eyes looking at him from a window in the house. There was something in the young girl who owned them to attract him, and there was that in the peddler's spry step and twinkling eye to catch her fancy.

"What you travel Sunday for?" asked Van der Donk, taking his pipe out of his mouth and looking sternly at the peddler.

"I'm goin' to Albany and from there down east. I have sold my wares and want to get home."

"H'm," said the Dutchman, "you stay here till tomorrow. I don't want you to bring the wrath of the Lord down on us."

The peddler threw off his pack, making a virtue of necessity. At least that was the appearance of it. Really he was quite willing to remain over awhile that he might look upon the fair face of the justice's daughter Katrina, who had looked upon him out of her blue eyes. And the girl was equally desirous of seeing more of the engaging peddler. Why it is no man has ever told us, but peddlers are proverbially fascinating to women. Perhaps it is the same audacity that enables them to sell their wares. At any rate, the peddler, leaving his pack for security, went off to the other end of the apple orchard and waited for the girl to come to him, never for a moment doubting that she would do so.

And she did. She had been long desirous of pouring out her dissatisfaction at the life she led to some person in whom she had confidence, and she felt sure that she could confide in the Yankee. She told him that her father compelled her to do all the work, while he smoked and drank schnapps; that she had a thousand dollars in a bank at Albany left her by her mother for which her father was trustee and that he would not let her have it. The peddler told her that she needed a husband to work for her, and she would find this much easier and pleasanter than working for some one else.

Now, the justice, thinking the peddler in a hurry to go on, when the shades of night came down intimated that for a consideration he would pass him. The Yankee declared that Sunday ended at sunset. The Dutchman scouted such theology, maintaining that it lasted till sunrise the next day. The Yankee finally consented to pay. The justice, who either could not write or was too fat or too lazy to write or could not write in English as well as in Dutch, told the Yankee to write a pass. Aaron took up the quill and wrote in an illegible hand on a bit of paper. The Dutchman ran his sleepy eyes over it, grunted "Goot!" signed it and handed it back to him. Anthony folded it, put it in his pocket, took up his pack and departed. The justice got up from his chair and by the aid of two canes got himself into the house, where supper was served him by his daughter. Then, after a couple of hours' smoke, he went to bed.

The next morning when he woke up and called Katrina, as usual, there was no response. The old man roused his neighbors, who hunted high and low for the damsel, but she was not to be found. That she had gone with the peddler never occurred to the justice or any of the stupid Dutchmen. If they connected her disappearance with him it was that he might have murdered her.

Two days passed, and Katrina did not reappear. Then one morning there came a letter to old Van der Donk. Since he was not used to receiving letters he felt sure it contained information of his lost daughter. He helped himself with his canes to the apple tree and got one of his neighbors to bring his pipe and his schnapps. After he had taken a pull at the one and lighted the other he broke the letter's seal. It contained a statement closing his account with the bank in Albany where his daughter's legacy was kept. There was one inclosure. The Dutchman looked at it frontward, sidewise and upside down. He could make nothing of it. Then he called the nearest notary, who read it and told him that it was an order for the bank to pay to Aaron Whiting his daughter's legacy, with accumulated interest. In ten minutes more a light broke into the old man's brain.

"Yah," he said reflectively; "it's t' Yankee pass!"

LAURA COLEMAN.

STAR BUSINESS LOCALS

The Star will send without charge, A. D. T. (Western Union) Messenger to your Place of Business or Residence for Advertisements for our Business Locals Department. 'Phone the Star office, No. 51.

Rates—25 cents for each insertion of twenty-five words, or less. Additional words, more than twenty-five, one cent per word in advance.

The A. D. T. Messengers will also call for telegrams for the Western Union Telegraph Co., or for Notes or small packages to be delivered anywhere in the city. No charges for the telegrams, and but a small charge for notes. For this service call Western Union, 'Phone 2. But for Advertisements always call the Star office, 'Phone 51.

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sep 5 1t*

WANTED—Position by young man of good character, in grocery store. Address "N. F. S." care of Star office.
sep 5 1t*

FOR RENT—That desirable northeast corner of Second and Market streets. Apply to C. P. B. Mahler, Real Estate Agent, 21 South second street. sep 5 2t.

FOR RENT—From October 1st. That desirable store southeast corner of Walnut and Nutt streets, now occupied by the wholesale firm of McNair & Pearsall. Apply to C. P. B. Mahler, Real Estate Agent. No. 21 South Second street. sep 5 2t

HARVEST MOON EXCURSION—To Fort Fisher and return Tuesday evening, September 8th 1908, given by the Junior and Senior Leagues of Trinity Methodist church. A special programme of music and recitations by the Junior League. Phonographic Concert by J. W. Robinson; using the Famous Edison Machines and Records including the speeches of W. J. Bryan. Positively the last and best moonlight excursion of the season. Fare only 25 cents for the round trip. Steamer Wilmington leaves at 8 P. M.
sep 5 3t

OFFICES FOR RENT—In the Garrell Building, southwest corner Princess and Second streets. Splendid location, steam heat, electric and gas lights and elevator. Call at building or on Smith & Lord, 114 Princess street. jy 9-tf

FOR RENT FROM OCT. 1ST—That desirable store No. 203 Princess street now occupied by the Carl B. Rehder Candy Co. Also store No. 15 North Second street, occupied by Eagle Laundry. Smith & Lord Agents, 114 Princess street. 'Phone 766.
sep 1-tf.

WANTED—Position by young lady to do general office work; is a graduate of two colleges and can furnish best of references. Answer to "F. M." care of Star. sep 4 2t

PIANO FOR SALE—Just from the factory, never been used, upright, high grade, will sell for a little over half what it cost. If you are thinking of buying one, don't miss this opportunity. Terms cash, or partly so, address Box 675, City. sep 4 3t

FOR RENT—A six-room flat upstairs; also three rooms furnished for light house-keeping. Modern conveniences. Possession given October 1st. 311 South Fifth street. se 3-tf

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LOST—Near Station 5, Wrightsville Beach, one large brown alligator skin pocket book. Any information leading to recovery of same will be rewarded by applying to B. H. Bridgers.
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Stockholders' Annual Meeting

The regular annual meeting of the Stockholders of the Atlantic Trust and Banking Company for the election of Directors, and for such other business as may properly come before the meeting, will be held Wednesday afternoon, September 9th, at 4 o'clock in Room 404 of the Southern Building, corner Front and Chesnut streets.

ATLANTIC TRUST & BKG CO.
MATT J. HEYER, President,
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Sale of the American Schooner "Chas. K. Schull," and her Cargo of Coal—1,200 Tons.

By virtue of an order of the District Court of the United States for the Eastern District of North Carolina, made in a cause in Admiralty entitled "William H. Welch, First Assistant Engineer of the Steamship 'Ocmulgee' on behalf of the owners, the Master himself, and the other officers and crew of said steamship, against the Schooner 'Chas. K. Schull,' of Philadelphia, and Capt. J. M. Peckworth, Master of said Schooner 'Chas. K. Schull,' and against the cargo laden on said ship and against all persons intervening for their interest in the said vessel and cargo," I, the undersigned, will expose for sale, at public auction, for cash at ten o'clock, in the forenoon, on the 11th day of September, 1908, at the United States Postoffice in Wilmington, N. C., Front street entrance, the said Schooner "Chas. K. Schull," her tackle, apparel and furniture, and her cargo consisting of 1,200 tons of gas coal. The said Schooner, her tackle, apparel and furniture will be sold separately from her said cargo. The said Schooner is of about 894 tons burthen, and is about nineteen years old, and now lies at the wharf of the Wilmington Compress Company, at foot of Harnett street in this city.

This 3rd day of September, 1908.
CLAUDIUS DOCKERY,
United States Marshal.
per C. O. KNOX,
sep 4 to 11. Deputy U. S. Marshal.

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au 28-tf.

Sale of the Russian Barque "Mats" and Her Cargo of Mahogany——Feet.

By virtue of an order of the District Court of the United States for the Eastern District of North Carolina made in a cause in Admiralty entitled "Edgar Williams against The Russian Barque 'Mats,'" I, the undersigned, will expose for sale, at public auction, for cash at twelve o'clock in the forenoon, on the 11th day of September, 1908, at the United States Postoffice in Wilmington, N. C., Front street entrance, the said Barque "Mats," her tackle, apparel and furniture, and her cargo consisting of 580 tons of Mahogany. The said Barque, her tackle, apparel and furniture will be sold separately and independently from her said cargo.

This 3rd day of September, 1908.
CLAUDIUS DOCKERY,
United States Marshal.
per C. O. KNOX,
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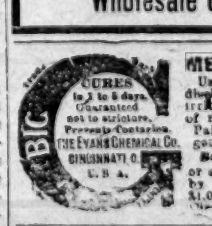

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SPIRITS TURPENTINE

—Kinston Free Press: A note from Seven Springs this morning states that the springs are under six feet of water. White Hall has established a boat line.

—Newbern Journal: The largest deer seen here in several years was one bought yesterday by Mr. Cohn of the Coast Line Market. The animal a buck, with an enormous pair of horns, was killed by a man named Price, in the Core Creek pocosin.

Pender Chronicle: News has been received at the Chronicle office of the serious accident that befel Mr. A. T. Bland of the Moore's Creek section last Monday. Mr. Bland was cutting with an axe, and on making a bad stroke the axe glanced striking him on the right side of his right foot, inflicting an unusually bad wound, which will necessitate a confinement of at least several weeks.

—Kinston Free Press: The Pitt county Democratic executive committee canvassed the returns of the primaries held Saturday to nominate candidates for county officers. The returns show the following nominated: For senator, A. L. Blow; for house of Representatives, R. R. Cotten and Dr. B. T. Cox; for coroner, Dr. C. O. Laughinghouse; for surveyor, R. F. Jenkins; for county commissioners, N. T. Cox, D. J. Holland, J. P. Qinerly, J. J. May and A. V. Lyon.

—Wadesboro Messenger and Intelligencer: Saturday night a party of men went to the home of Hannah Jane Davis, a colored woman of ill repute, and shot the house up. A large number of shots were fired and the woman was warned to leave the neighborhood at once, otherwise she would be killed. The woman was working for Messrs. John and Mood Turner, who live on the plantation of Mr. C. C. Moore in Morven township. It is understood that recent alleged happenings in the neighborhood caused the white capping.

—Newbern Journal: The open season for deer began Tuesday and there are several parties in the field looking for the coveted game. Yesterday Messrs. C. K. Hancock, C. E. Hancock and J. H. Weddell were near Croatan and Mr. Ed Hancock shot a young deer and later a large buck was killed. The smaller animal had not shed its spots and its hide was prepared for a rug which is a beauty. The larger deer had a beautifully formed head and antlers which will be treated by a professional taxidermist and mounted for an ornament.

—Anderson, S. C., Sept. 2.—At 2 o'clock this afternoon, J. F. Hinkel, formerly a policeman, shot and fatally wounded Mrs. Emma Anderson, keeper of a boarding house at Seneca, and then shot himself in the head, dying instantly. Mrs. Anderson died two hours later. The shooting is said to have been prompted by jealousy. Hinkel had been trying to get Mrs. Anderson to marry him and she refused. Mrs. Anderson was the widow of the late John Anderson, formerly of Belton. She had been living in Seneca for several years and was well thought of.

—Exchange: A boy eighteen years old holds the world's strike out record, and several of the major league managers are reported to be bidding for his services. The wonder is Hugh Bedient of Falconer, N. Y., who, while pitching for the Falconer semi-professional baseball team in a game with the Corry, (Pa.) nine, struck out forty-two Corry batsmen in 23 innings. A marvelous feature of Bedient's performance was his feat in the 23rd inning, when, after his team had scored two runs, he struck out the three Corry players who faced him, giving his team the victory by a score of 3 to 1. He allowed but six hits in the 23 innings.

Pender Chronicle: The Burgaw Brick Works Company installed its tile machinery last Thursday and at once began turning out 4-inch tiling. This industry at this point is of great importance to this section from the fact that our soil needs tile drainage, in fact it can scarcely be drained except in this way, and the making of tiling right here so that our farmers can get it conveniently and at a cheaper price is worth a great deal to our people. The company will make tiling of the following sizes, 4, 6 and 10-inch, but will turn out more of the 4-inch size as there is likely to be a greater demand for this size than any other. The clay is of excellent quality for tile.

—Winston Sentinel: There is some evidence of a split among the Republicans in Yadkin. The regular Republican county convention was held on the 15th and a full ticket nominated. Some of the delegates in the convention were rather strenuous and this may have led to threatened division. Anyway, an advertisement in the last issue of the Yadkinville Ripple, signed by C. H. Adams chairman, and James Johnson, secretary, gives notice that the "Independent Republican county convention is called to meet at the court house in Yadkinville on September 7th, for the purpose of nominating candidates for the various offices and to transact such other business as may come before the convention."

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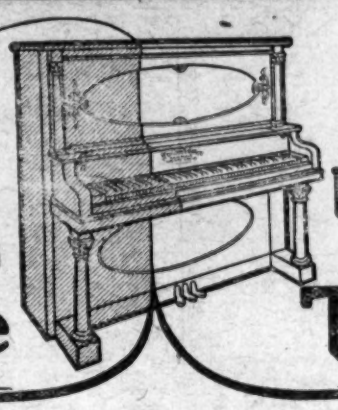

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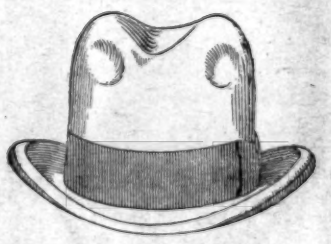

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ELECTION NOTICE.

The Board of Commissioners of New Hanover County, in accordance with the provisions of an Act of the General Assembly of North Carolina passed at its 1907 session, entitled "An Act to empower the Board of Commissioners of New Hanover County to issue bonds for road improvement and to construct bridges," and by virtue of the power therein given do hereby call, and give notice of an election to be held by the qualified electors of New Hanover County on Thursday, the 24th day of September, 1908, between the hours of sunrise and sunset, to determine whether New Hanover County shall issue Fifty Thousand Dollars of its bonds, with interest coupons attached, to continue and complete the repairing construction and improvement of the public roads and bridges in said county.

At said election the ballots tendered and cast by the qualified electors shall have written or printed upon them, "For continuing and completing the construction and improvement of the public roads and bridges of the county," or "Against the continuing and completing the construction and improvement of the public roads and bridges of the county."

All qualified electors who favor the issuing of said bonds shall vote: "For continuing and completing the construction and improvement of the public roads and bridges of the county," and all qualified voters who are opposed to the issue of said bonds shall vote: "Against the continuing and completing the construction and improvement of the public roads and bridges of the county."

For the purposes of this election, as authorized by said Act, the said Board of Commissioners have ordered, and do hereby order, a new registration for said election, and the following are designated as the polling places in the several townships, precincts and wards, and the persons hereinafter named have been appointed as the registrars and judges of election in said several townships, precincts and wards, to-wit:

Cape Fear Township.
Polling place—Blossom's Store, Castle Hayne. Registrar, Wm. B. Hand. Judges of Election, W. H. Shearin and J. H. Johnston.

Harnett Township—First Division.
Polling place—Delgado Barber Shop. Registrar, J. A. Jordan. Judges of election, John Goley and Bishop Werner.

Harnett Township—Second Division.
Polling place—Township House. Registrar, J. A. Everett. Judges of election, James N. Shepard and Geo. R. Smith.

Masonboro Township.
Polling place—Township House. Registrar, W. H. Biddle. Judges of election, William Lumsden and Andrew Capps.

Federal Point Township.
Polling place—Capps' Store. Registrar, Henry Taylor. Judges of election, J. A. Biddle and Hill Williams.

Wilmington Township—First Ward.
Polling place—Fourth Street Engine House—Registrar, A. T. Skipper. Judges of election, G. H. Heyer and C. L. Spencer.

Wilmington Township—Second Ward.
Polling place—Old Court House. Registrar, W. W. Hodges. Judges of election, T. W. Wood and W. E. Worth.

Wilmington Township—Third Ward.
Polling place—Giblem Lodge. Registrar, C. H. Ward—Judges of election, L. B. Rogers and L. B. Sasser.

Wilmington Township—Fourth Ward.
Polling place—Worth's old Ice House. Registrar, W. H. Lane. Judges of election, Roger Moore and W. A. French, Jr.

Wilmington Township—Fifth Ward.
Poling place—Engine House, Sixth and Castle streets. Registrar, J. H. Sykes. Judges of election, R. A. Burnett and W. W. King.

The registration books of each township, ward and precinct will be kept open between the hours of nine o'clock A. M. and sunset on each day, Sundays excepted, for twenty days, beginning the 20th day of August, 1908, for the registration of electors; and the said books shall be closed for registration at sunset on the second Saturday before said election to-wit: the 12th day of September, 1908; and on Saturday, the 22nd day of August, 1908, and on the 29th day of August, 1908, and on the 5th and 12th days of September, 1908, the Saturdays following, the Registrars will attend, with their registration books, at the polling places in their respective townships, wards or precincts, for the registration of electors. The Registrars will attend the polling places of their respective townships wards or precincts, with the registration books, on Saturday preceding the election, to-wit: the 19th day of September, 1908, from the hour of nine o'clock A. M. until the hour of three o'clock P. M., when and where the said books will be open for the inspection of the electors of said township, ward or precinct and any of said electors shall be allowed to object to the name of any person appearing on said books.

This 17th day of August, 1908.

By order of the Board of Commissioners of New Hanover County.

D. McEACHERN,
Chairman.

JOHN HAAR, Clerk.
au 18-till-sep 24.

WEEK END RATES VIA SEABOARD.

The Seaboard announces May 30th until September 30 round-trip rates from Wilmington as follows:

From Wilmington to—

Jackson Springs, N. C.	$3.85
Lincolnton, N. C.	7.10
Shelby, N. C.	7.85
Rutherfordton, N. C.	8.65
Hickory, N. C.	7.95
Lenoir, N. C.	10.00
Blowing Rock,	10.00
Chimney Rock, N. C.	10.00

Tickets to Jackson Spring sold for Saturday trains, good returning Monday; to Blowing Rock and Chimney Rock Friday and Saturday trains, good returning Tuesday. To other points for Friday and Saturday trains, good returning Monday following date of sale.

For further information apply to Ticket Agent, or,

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Schedule in Effect Aug. 2nd, 1908.

NOTICE.
The arrivals and departures are given as information, as well as connections with other companies; but arrivals and connections are not guaranteed.

NORTHBOUND.

	No. 48.	No. 41
Lv. Wilmington ..	9:00 am	7:00 pm
Ar. Goldsboro	12:03 pm	9:55 pm
Ar Wilson	1:00 pm	10:53 pm
Ar Rocky Mount...	1:35 pm	11:40 pm
Ar. Weldon	4:55 pm	5:30 am
Ar Norfolk	5:55 pm	
Ar. Petersburg	7:00 pm	5:27 am
Ar Richmond	8:00 pm	6:10 am
Ar Washington	11:50 pm	9:50 am
Ar Baltimore.....	1:41 am	11:20 am
Ar Philadelphia ...	4:21 am	1:41 pm
Ar New York	7:23 am	4:13 pm

SOUTHBOUND.

	No. 41.	No. 48.
Lv New York	9:25 am	9:25 pm
Ar Philadelphia ...	11:37 am	12:15 am
Ar Baltimore	2:12 pm	2:51 am
Ar Washington	3:45 pm	4:20 am
Lv Norfolk		8:25 am
Lv Richmond	7:25 pm	8:15 am
Ar Petersburg	8:05 pm	9:03 am
Ar Weldon.....	9:59 pm	11:28 am
Ar Rocky Mount ..	11:03 pm	12:55 pm
Ar Wilson.....	11:47 pm	1:58 pm
Ar Goldsboro.....	6:15 am	3:00 pm
Ar. Wilmington ...	9:25 am	6:10 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND THE SOUTH.

SOUTHBOUND.

	Daily.	Daily.	Daily.
Lv. Wil't'n	5:15 am	3:35 pm	7:00 p.
Ar. Flor..	9:05 am	7:25 pm	4:30 am
Ar Col'bia	12:25 pm	11:05 pm	
Ar. Ch'st'n	1:10 pm	11:15 pm	7:30 am
Ar. Sa'n..	6:20 pm	2:10 am	9:54 am
Ar. Jk'ville		7 15 am	2:20 pm
Ar. Tampa		6:25 pm	12:15 pm

NORTHBOUND.

	Daily.	Daily.
Lv. Tampa.....	8:55 pm	7:00 am
Lv Jacksonville....	9:10 am	7:45 pm
Ar Savannah.....	1:31 pm	11:59 pm
Lv. Charleston.....	5:52 pm	5:20 am
Lv. Columbia.....	4:30 pm	8:00 am
Ar. Florence.....	7:34 pm	3:35 am
Ar Wilmington ..	12:55 am	1:20 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND SANFORD.

	Westbound. Daily.	Eastbound Daily.
Lv. Wilmington..	8:40 am	Ar 8:15 pm
Lv. Fayetteville..	12:10 pm	Ar 4:55 pm
Ar. Sanford.....	1:40 pm	Lv 3:40 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND NEWBERN.

DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAY.

	Northbound.	Southbound.
Lv. Wilmington..	3:20 pm	1:00 pm
Ar. Newbern ...	7:00 pm	Lv. 8:25 am

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No. 44 at 12:45 A. M. from Charlotte, Hamlet and local Stations.

No. 40 arrives 12:50 P. M. from Charlotte, connecting at Hamlet with No 38 from Birmingham and Atlanta, No 33 from Norfolk and Raleigh, and all points North and South.

Trains Leave Wilmington as Follows

	No. 45	No. 39
Lv. Wilm't'n...	4:50 A. M.	3:00 P. M
Ar. Lumb't'n...	7:26 A. M.	5:55 P. M
Ar. Marxton....	8:15 A. M.	6:49 P. M
Ar. Hamlet....	9:15 A. M.	7:50 P. M
Lv. Hamlet....	9:45 A. M.	8:25 P. M
Ar. Monroe....	11:40 A. M.	10:25 P. M
Ar. Ch'lotte....	12:35 P. M.	11:30 P. M

No. 45 connects at Hamlet with No 66 for Raleigh and Richmond and points north.

No. 39 connects at Hamlet with No 41 for Atlanta, Birmingham and Charlotte, with No. 34 for Washington and New York, No. 32 for Portsmouth Norfolk and No. 42 for Columbia, Savannah and Jacksonville.

For time-tables and any information apply to your nearest Ticket Agent or call Phone No. 1294.

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In effect May 30th, 1908.

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and every half hour until	7:15 A. M. and every half hour until
11:00 P. M.	11:45 P. M.
12:00 P. M.	

FREIGHT.

Leave Wilmington	Leave Beach
*6:00 A. M.	7:15 A. M.
10:00 A. M.	12:15 P. M.
4 00 P. M.	6:15 P. M.
7:00 P. M.	8:15 P. M.

Freight depot open daily except Sunday from 8:00 A. M. to 7:00 P. M.

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SUNDAY SCHEDULE.

Leave Wilmington	Leave Beach
7:30 A. M.	7:15 A. M.
and every half hour until	8:15 A. M. and every half hour until
11:00 P. M.	11:45 P. M.
12:00 P. M.	

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WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, Sept. 4.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market nothing doing.

ROSIN—Market, steady, $2.00 per barrel of 280 pounds.

TAR—Market, firm $1.40.

CRUDE TURPENTINE — Market firm $1.50 per barrel for hard, $2.00 for dip and $2.75 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—spirits turpentine steady 51; rosin steady $3.80; tar, nothing doing; crude turpentine $2.75, $4.00 and $4.25.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits Turpentine	19
Rosin	91
Tar	(—)
Crude Turpentine	58

Receipts—Same day last year, 74 casks spirits turpentine; 184 barrels rosin; 327 barrels tar; 43 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Nominal.

Same day last year—Nominal, 11 7-8 cents for middling.

Receipts—5 bales, same day last year 51 bales.

PRODUCE MARKET.

PEANUTS—North Carolina Prime 65c; extra prime 70c; fancy 75c per bushel of 28 lbs; Virginia—No. 1, 70c; fancy 75@80c; Spanish 75@85c.

CORN—Firm, 95c per bushel for white; 92 1-2@95 for mixed.

N. C. BACON—Steady; hams, new 16c; shoulders 11@12 1-2c; sides 35c. 35c.

EGGS—Good demand at 22c.

CHICKENS—Dull at 18 1-2@30c for large springs; growns, firm, 30c to 33 1-3c.

BEESWAX—Firm at 27c.

TALLOW—Firm at 4 1-2@5c per pound.

BEEF CATTLE—Dull at 2 to 3 1-2c per pound on foot.

HIDES—Dry flint, 8c; green, dull 4c per pound.

IRISH POTATOES—New 90c@$1.00 per bushel.

SWEET POTATOES—Firm at 90@$1.00 per bushel.

WOOL—Free of burr, 15c; burry wool, 10 to 12 1-2c.

THE COTTON MARKET.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

New York, Sept. 4.—The cotton market was quiet during today's session with business chiefly in the way of evening up for over the holiday, as the market will be closed from tonight until Tuesday morning. The close was barely steady at a net advance of 1 to 5 points. The opening was steady at a decline of 1 to 2 points under scattering liquidation and favorable weather reports but the market soon rallied owing to steady cables and week-end covering with October selling up to 861 and the active months generally about 8 to 9 points net higher. The buying on the advance seemed to satisfy the demand from shorts and later prices eased off under scattered selling. The close was from 2 to 4 points up from the lowest.

Receipts at the ports today were 12,873 bales, against 14,878 last week and 11,776 last year. For the week 100,000 bales against 71,496 last week and 48,022 last year. Today's receipts at New Orlean were 443, against 224 last year and at Houston 6,568 against 4,204 last year.

Spot cotton quiet; middling uplands 9.30; middling gulf 9.55; sales 2,700 bales.

Futures opened steady and closed barely steady.

Month.	Open.	Close
September	8.53	8.48
October	8.53	8.54
November	——	8.42
December	8.44	8.46
January	8.32	8.36
February	8.43	8.38
March	8.39	8.41
May	8.50	8.48

COTTON RECEIPTS.

The following are the total net receipts of cotton at all ports since September 1st:

Galveston	34,831
New Orleans	1,332
Mobile	913
Savannah	14,651
Charleston	286
Wilmington	32
Norfolk	45
Baltimore	16
Boston	99
Newport News	125
Brunswick	—100
Jacksonville	126
Total	52,556

HESTER'S COTTON STATISTICS.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New Orleans, Sept. 4.—Secretary Hester's statement of the world's visible supply of cotton issued today shows the total visible to be 1,691,549 against 1,710,592 last week and 2,211,364 last year. Of this the total American cotton is 969,502 against 966,546 last week and 1,288,389 last year, and of all other kinds including Egypt, Brazil, India, etc., 722,046 against 744,046 last week, and 922,975 last year.

Of the world's visible supply of cotton there is now afloat and held in Great Britain and Continental Europe 959,000 against 1,310,000 bales last year; in Egypt 60,000 against 23,000 last year; in India 484,000 against 509,000 last year, and in the United States 288,000 against 369,000 last year.

PORT MOVEMENT.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Galveston—Steady, 9 1-8; Net receipts 7,965.

New Orleans—Quiet, 9.00; Net receipts 443.

Mobile—Steady, 8 3-4; Net receipts 238.

Savannah—Steady, 8 7-8; Net receipts 3,430.

Charleston—Quiet, 8 7-8; Net receipts 36.

Wilmington—Nominal; Net receipts five.

Norfolk—Quiet, 9 1-4; Net receipts 15.

Baltimore—Nominal, 9 1-2; Net receipts 16.

New York—Quiet, 9.30.

Boston—Quiet, 9.30.

Philadelphia—Quiet, 9.55.

Newport News—Net receipts 125.

Brunswick—Net receipts 100.

Jacksonville—Net receipts 100.

Total today, at all ports, Net 12,573; Great Britain 1,149; Continent 12,949; Stock 178,235.

Consolidated, at all ports, Net 77,243; Great Britain 17,392; France 14,556; Continent 39,234.

Total since Sept. 1, at all ports, Net 52,556; Great Britain 3,955; France 9,189; Continent 36,732.

INTERIOR MOVEMENT.

Houston—Steady, 9.00; Net receipts 6,568.

Augusta—Quiet, 8 3-4; Net receipts 742.

Memphis—Quiet, 9 1-2; Net receipts 20.

St. Louis—Dull, 9 5-8; Net receipts 54.

Cincinnati—Net receipts 751.

Louisville—Firm, 9 3-4.

Little Rock—Dull, 9.00; Net receipts 3.

Total today—Net receipts 8,138; gross receipts 8,535; shipments 8,402; sales 1,359; stock 76,320.

LIVERPOOL MARKET.

(By Cable to the Morning Star.)

Liverpool, Sept. 4.—Spot cotton moderate business done, prices one point lower. American middling fair 5.81; good middling 5.45; middling 5.25; low middling 5.01; good ordinary 4.41; ordinary 4.01. The sales of the day were 6,000 bales of which 500 were for speculation and export and included 5,400 American. Receipts 100 bales, all American.

Futures opened quiet and steady and closed steady: September 4.85; September and October 4.71; October and November 4.67; November and December 4.64; December and January 4.62; January and February 4.62; February and March 4.63 1-2; March and April 4.65; April and May 4.66; May and June 4.67.

DRY GOODS MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, Sept. 4.—The dry goods market was quiet and steady for the day with a continuation of small ordering noted. It is the opinion in the market that trade is slowly increasing. Cotton yarns are being sold more freely on a low basis on contract. The local wool market is quiet.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, Sept. 4.—The stock market was affected, as usual, by the imminence of a three-day holiday. Dealings were confined largely to the closing up of contracts by the traders who are averse to the risk of a long period in which stocks cannot be dealt in, while some sudden event might change the speculative situation. Not only the stock exchanges but the commercial exchanges generally are to be closed in this country tomorrow as an extension of the labor holiday on Monday. The day's dullness was the result. Foreign markets gave evidence of a subsidence of the uneasiness caused by the Moroccan situation. Preliminary estimates of the week's currency movement indicated a falling off in shipments to New York but not yet sufficient to turn the tide of the movement in favor of the interior. The commodities markets were dull and featureless under the influence of the approaching holiday and no important deductions were drawn from them of the progress of the crops. There was a considerable demand for foreign exchange which gave early firmness to that market. The United States steel stocks developed strength when it became known that J. Pierpont Morgan had come to his office for the first time after his return from abroad. This gave a late upward impetus to prices.

Bonds were active and firm. Total sales, par value were $5,260,000. United States bonds were unchanged on call. Total sales of stocks today were 466,900 shares.

FINANCIAL MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, Sept. 4.—Money on call easy 1 per cent.; ruling rate 1, closing bid 1, offered at 1 per cent. Time loans firm; sixty days 2 per cent., and ninety days 2 1-2 per cent.; six months 3 1-2 per cent. Prime mercantile paper 4 to 4 1-2 per cent.; sterling exchange firm with actual business in bankers bills at 4.8460 to 4.8465 for sixty day bills and at 4.8605 to 4.8610 for demand. Commercial bills 4.84 to 4.84.1-4. Bar silver 51 1-4. Mexican dollars 45.

DUN & CO.'S TRADE REVIEW.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, Sept. 4.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly Review of Trade will say tomorrow:

The steady decrease in percentage of idle machinery and number of idle freight cars swells the amount of money distributed among wage earners and gradually increases the volume of retail trade. As stocks of merchandise in the stores of retailers become depleted there is more confidence regarding the future and contracts are made covering deliveries up to the end of the year, but conservatism still dominates the situation and many plans will not materialize into anything tangible until the election uncertainty is removed two months hence. Cotton mills still curtail output, but other leading manufacturing industries are gradually increasing output and the fortnightly statement of idle freight cars shows a decrease. Liabilities of commercial failures in August would have compared favorably with those of the same month last year but for three large suspensions, one of which was speculative and had no effect on legitimate business.

Pig iron production has made further progress, fewer furnaces offering concessions in prices as the demand improves and Southern companies are able to extend operations since the collapse of the coal miners' strike in the Birmingham district. Several idle furnaces are preparing to resume next week.

A better understone is beginning to appear in the primary market for cottons, although buying is confined to spot goods that are taken only as actually needed. Local jobbers have done a little better of late.

New York Bonds.

U. S. refunding 2s reg	103 1-4
U. S. refunding 2s cou	104
U. S. 3s reg	101
U. S. 3s cou	101
U. S. 4s reg	120 3-4
U. S. 4s cou	121 1-4
Amr. Tobacco Co. 6s	109 3-8
Atlantic Coast Line 4s	94
Baltimore & Ohio 4s	101 1-8
L. & N. Unified 4s	99 1-2
Seaboard Air Line 4s	59
Southern Railway 5s	101
U. S. Steel 5s	101 1-2

Closing Stock Lists.

Amalgamated Copper	79 1-8
American Car & Foundry	40 3-4
Amr. Car & Foundry pfd	103 1-4
American Cotton Oil Co	35 3-4
Amr. Locomotive	54
Amr. Smelting & Ref	94 5-8
Amr. Smelting & Ref pfd	107
American Sugar Ref	133 3-4
American Tobacco Co. pfd	95 3-8
Atchison	90 3-4
Atchison pfd	95
Atlantic Coast Line	90
Baltimore & Ohio	96 1-2
Baltimore & Ohio pfd	85
Chesapeake & Ohio	42 1-4
Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul	144
Erie	25 3-4
Erie 1st pfd	41
Erie 2nd pfd	31
Kansas City Southern	27 1-2
Kansas City Southern pfd	61 1-8
L. & N.	109
Norfolk & Western	74
Pennsylvania	124 5-8
People's Gas	96 1-2
Reading	129 1-2
Rock Island Co.	17 5-8
Rock Island Co. pfd	33 1-2
Standard Oil	632
Southern Pacific	108 3-8
Southern Pacific pfd	119 1-4
Southern Railway	20@20 1-8
Southern Railway pfd	50 1-8
Union Pacific	164 5-8
U. S. Steel	46 3-4
U. S. Steel pfd	111 1-2
Va.-Car. Chemical	28 3-4
Va.-Car. Chemical pfd	108 3-4
Western Union	57

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, Sept. 4.—Flour firm but quiet.

Rye Flour—Steady.

Corn Meal—Firm.

Rye—Dull.

Wheat—Spot irregular; No. 2 red 1.04 to 1.05 1-2 elevator. Options steady without net changes. Sept. 1.05 7-8; Dec. 1.05 7-8; May 1.08 1-16.

Corn—Spot steady; No. 2, 98 nominal elevator. Options 1-4c lower; Sept. 89 1-2; Dec. 79 3-8; May 74 3-8.

Oats—Steady; mixed 53 to 54.

Lard—Easy.

Pork—Steady.

Tallow—Dull.

Rice and Molasses—Quiet.

Sugar—Raw steady; fair refining 3.46; centrifugal 96 test 3.96; molasses sugar 3.16. Refined, steady.

Coffee—Quiet; Rio No. 7, 6 1-8; Santos No. 4, 8 3-8. Mild coffee dull; Cordova 9 1-2 to 12 1-2.

Butter—Firm; creamery specials 24 to 24 1-2; creamery extras 23 1-2 to 23 3-4.

Cheese—Steady, unchanged.

Eggs—Quiet, steady, unchanged

Cotton Seed Oil—Quiet with prices steady on light offerings of crude. Pirme crude 28 to 28 1-2; prime summer yellow 37 1-4; off summer yellow 35 1-2 to 36 3-4; good off summer yellow 36 to 36 3-4; prime white 38 1-4 to 41; prime winter yellow 40 to 41 1-2.

Peanuts—Quiet, unchanged.

Freights to Liverpool by steam—Steady, unchanged.

Potatoes—Easy; Eastern shore sweets, per barrel 1.50 to 1.75; Jersey 2.00 to 2.50.

Cabbage—Firm, unchanged.

CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKET

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Chicago, Sept. 4.—Profit taking sales had a weakening effect on the wheat market here today but prices showed only slight declines, the future deliveries closing at net losses of 1-8 to 1-4c to 3-8c. Owing to the congestion in the September delivery that option closed at a gain of 1-4 to 3-8c Corn, oats and provisions closed easy.

	opening.	Highest.	closing.
Wheat—			
Sept	98 1-8	98 3-4	98 1-2
Dec.	97 7-8	98 1-8	97 3-4
May	1 01 1-2	1 01 1-2	1 01 1-8
Corn—			
Sept	79 1-2	79 3-4	79 1-8
Dec.	68 1-4	68 1-4	67 7-8
May	66 1-4	66 1-4	65 3-4
Oats—			
Sept	50 3-8	50 3-8	49 7-8
Dec.	50 5-8	50 5-8	50 3-8
May	52 5-8	52 3-4	52 3-8
Mess Pork, per bbl—			
Sept	14 77 1-2	14 77 1-2	14 67 1-2
Oct.	14 85	14 87 1-2	14 72 1-2
Jan.	16 47 1-2	16 47 1-2	16 32 1-2
Lard, per 100 lbs.—			
Sept	9 67 1-2	9 67 1-2	9 65
Oct.	9 72 1-2	9 75	9 67 1-2
Jan.	9 52 1-2	9 52 1-2	9 47 1-2
Short Ribs, per 100 lbs.—			
Sept	9 20	9 20	9 10
Oct.	9 25	9 25	9 17 1-2
Jan.	8 55	8 55	8 50

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour firm; No. 3 spring wheat 94 to 1.04; No. 2 red 98 1-2 to 99 3-4, No. 2 corn 79 1-2 to 79 3-4; No. 2 yellow 80 1-4@80 1-2; Oats No. 2 white 51 to 51 1-2; No. 3 white 49 to 51 1-2; No. 2 rye 75 to 76 1-2; good feeding barley 61 to 63; fair to choice malting 63 to 66 1-2; No. 1 northwestern 1.27 5-8; prime timothy seed 3.55; short ribs, sides (loose) 9.00 to 9.37 1-2; mess pork per bbl. 14.70 to 14.75; lard per 100 lbs. 9.65; short clear sides (boxed) 9.25 to 9.50; whiskey, basis of high wines 1.37.

NAVAL STORES.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

New York, Sept. 4.—Rosin and turpentine quiet.

Charleston, Sept. 4.—Turpentine steady 35 1-2. Rosin steady. Quote: A B C, 2.30; D, 2.35; E, 2.40 to 2.45.

Savannah, Sept. 4.—Turpentine firm 36; sales 362; receipts 840; shipments 191. Rosin firm; sales 3,001; receipts 3,486; shipments 892; stock 158,668. Quote: A B C, 2.40; D, 2.45; E, 2.50 to 2.55; F, 2.65 to 2.75; G, 2.70 to 2.80; H, 3.30 to 3.35; I, 3.55 to 3.60; K, 4.25 to 4.30; M, 4.50; N, 5.25; WG, 5.90; WW 6.10.

MARINE

ARRIVED.

Str. Navahoe, Hale, Georgetown, S. C., H. G. Smallbones.

Schr. Future, 518 tons, McDonald, Reedville, Va., Windley Cross-Tie Co.

Str. City of Fayetteville, Smith, Fayetteville, C. P. Love.

Str. Duplin, Stokes, Smith's Bridge, J. A. Munn.

CLEARED.

Str. City of Fayetteville, Smith, Fayetteville, C. P. Love.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

Wilmington, N. C., Sept. 4, 1908.

W. & W. Railroad—1 bale cotton; 3 casks spirits turpentine; 18 barrels crude turpentine.

W. & N. Railroad—2 casks spirits turpentine; 10 barrels rosin; 11 barrels crude turpentine.

Str. Whitlock—14 casks spirits turpentine; 81 barrels rosin.

Str. Wonder—29 barrels crude turpentine.

Schr. Chauncey T.—4 bales cotton.

Total—5 bales cotton; 19 casks spirits turpentine; 91 barrels rosin; 58 barrels crude turpentine.

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels Now in Port of Wilmington, N. C.

Steamers.

Fernfield, (Br.) 2,025 tons, Cox, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Barquentine.

Mats (Rus.), 283 tons, Uttopart, Helde & Co. (In distress.)

Queen Louise, (Br.) 2,170 tons, Radcliffe, Hamburg, Helde & Co.

Schooners.

Horace P. Shares, 392 tons, Flynn, C. D. Maffitt.

Chas. K. Schull, 821 tons Peckworth, C. D. Maffitt.

Herald, 474 tons, Simmons, New York, C. D. Maffitt.

Edgar D. Ross, 379 tons, Quillen, Baltimore to Charleston. (Come in for harbor.)

Future, 518 tons, McDonald, Reedville, Va., Windley Cross-Tie Co.

Labor Day

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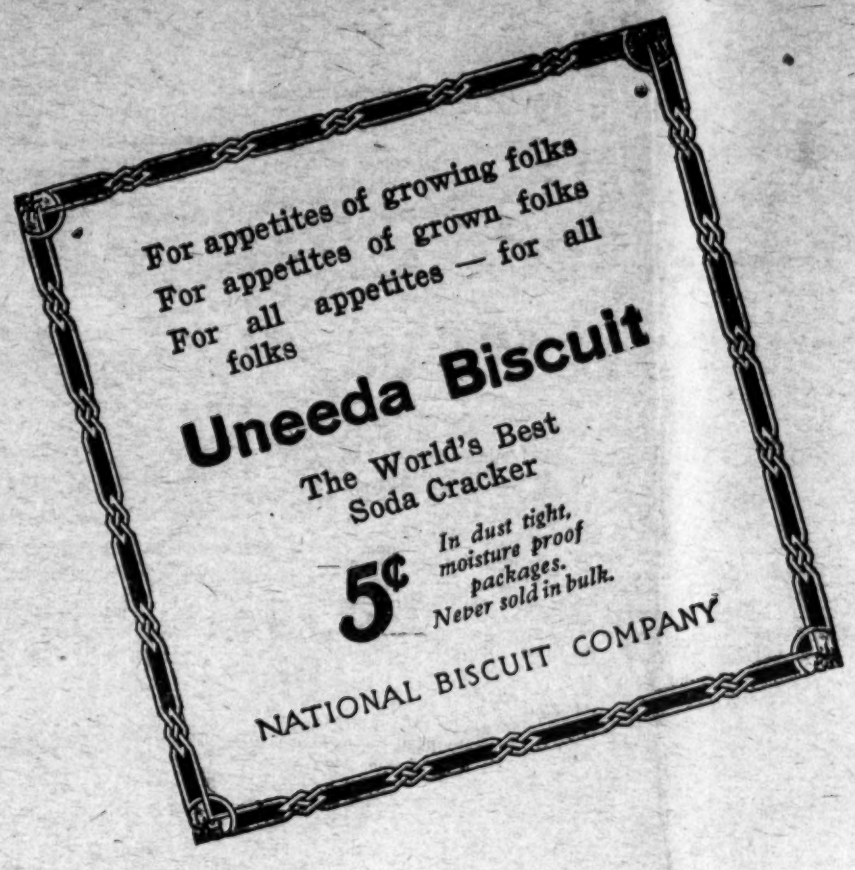
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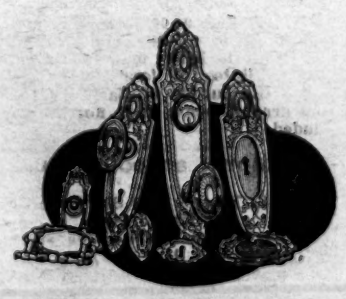
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ANOTHER FLIGHT WITH AEROPLANE

Orville Wright Sails Around the Parade Ground at Fort Myer.

UNDER PERFECT CONTROL

Machine Behaves Beautifully—Sails in Circles Then Straight Across Drill Grounds—Lands in Front of Tent.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Washington, D. C., Sept. 4.—Orville Wright made another flight over the drill grounds at Fort Myer, Va., today in which he encircled the field five times in addition to going its full length, before landing directly in front of the tent which shelters the machine. The total time consumed in the flight was four minutes and 15 seconds, the aeroplane being under the control of Mr. Wright throughout the flight. The wind was blowing at a rate of three and three-fifths miles per hour. Thirty feet from the ground was the greatest height attained. It was evident that the aviator had the machine under better control today than yesterday.

This morning Mr. Wright re-placed the runner broken yesterday and at 5 o'clock this afternoon the machine was taken to the northern end of the drill grounds where the starting apparatus is located. A preliminary test of the motor proving satisfactory the wheels supporting the machine were taken from under it and Mr. Wright started the motor and took his place in the aviator's seat. At 5:55 o'clock P. M. Mr. Wright nodded to his assistant, C. E. Taylor, and the machine was released. The weights suspended from a wooden tower gave it its first impetus and as it glided along the 50-foot track its speed increased. Leaving the track the machine was turned upward by the operator and dipping slightly continued to rise as it made for the southern end of the field.

Recalling yesterday's mishap Mr. Wright turned the machine when half way down the field, but with each succeeding lap he approached nearer to the tent. He made several sharp turns and at one point repeated the mistake made yesterday, but he was able to right the machine before descending too near the earth. One of the most impressive features of the aeroplane's performance was the ease with which it was brought to earth when half way round on the sixth lap.

"With each succeeding flight," said Mr. Wright, after he landed, "I will secure a better control of the aeroplane. The difficulty I experience now is that I pull the levers too far. This is natural in view of the length of time since my last fights, but with a few more trials I am confident that I will have perfect control of the planes."

An enthusiastic crowd witnessed today's flight. The parade ground was kept clear by cavalrymen and artillerymen stationed at Fort Myer. Mr. Wright was greatly pleased with the test and announced that he would make a flight tomorrow morning if weather conditions were favorable.

DUNCAN AT HEADQUARTERS

North Carolina Committeeman Declares This State to be Doubtful.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

New York, Sept. 4.—An informal meeting of almost all the members of the executive committee of the Republican National Committee was held at headquarters today and the general situation was discussed. Those present were Senator Boies Penrose, of Pennsylvania; Edwin C. Duncan, of North Carolina; Charles F. Brooker, of Connecticut; T. Coleman Dupont, of Delaware; and William L. Ward, of New York. Senator Penrose said the meeting was only preliminary to a formal conference next week when Chairman Hitchcock returns from the West.

National Committeeman Duncan from North Carolina, is here for a conference with Chairman Hitchcock. He declared that North Carolina was rapidly becoming a doubtful State.

"Our State convention," said Mr. Duncan, "was one of the greatest Republican gatherings in our State. We nominated a strong ticket and we expect to elect three or four members to Congress. One of my objects here is to make arrangements for Mr. Sherman to make at least one speech in North Carolina during the campaign."

Practically the entire business section of Sumner, Miss., was destroyed and one man, A. M. Phipps, lost his life, in a fire of unknown origin which was discovered in the store building occupied by H. H. Polk & Co. early today. Phipps was smothered to death while he slept. The property loss is estimated at $100,000.

It Can't Be Beat.

The best of all teachers is experience. C. M. Harden, of Silver City, North Carolina, says: "I find Electric Bitters does all that's claimed for it. For Stomach, Liver and Kidney troubles it can't be beat. I have tried it and find it a most excellent medicine." Mr. Harden is right; it's the best of all medicines also for weakness, lame back, and all run down conditions. Best too for chills and malaria. Sold under guarantee at R. R. Bellamy's drug store. 50c.

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The Steamer Wilmington will leave Sunday for Carolina Beach and Southport, at 9... and 2:30 P. M. **

DISASTROUS FIRE CAUSES HEAVY LOSS

Portion of Business Section of Rawhide, Nev., With Many Homes is Sweep Away.

THREE THOUSAND HOMELESS

A Score Injured While Fighting the Persistant Flames, Which Moved Rapidly Aided by a Gale and Tons of Dynamite.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Rawhide, Nev., Sept. 4.—Three thousand people homeless, a score or more injured and a property loss of $750,000 is the result of a disastrous fire which started at 9 o'clock this morning in Dr. Garner's office, located in the Rawhide Drug Company's building. Fanned by a gale the fire swept rapidly South and east to Balloon Avenue, and up Rawhide avenue to within fifty yards of the People's Hospital.

Over a ton and a half of dynamite was used in the demolition of buildings which in a measure stayed the flames' progress. The volunteer fire department and five hundred miners worked heroically but on account of the inflammable construction of the buildings eight were swept away like tinder.

At 11 A. M. the business portion of Rawhide was a smouldering ruin, the flames being finally checked South of Balloon.

Among the first buildings to go was Collin's Hardware store which contained two tons of dynamite that exploded at a terrific report, hurled burning planks and boards a great distance, setting fire to numerous buildings simultaneously.

The scenes were similar to those at the fire at H. Goldfield in July 1906 and at Cripple Creek in April 1896. Many people were injured by flying debris but none is reported seriously hurt.

A famine was feared as all supply houses and grocery stores were wiped out.

A subscription list was started and in a few minutes over $5,000 was raised and a relief train started from Reno carrying food and bedding. All the minning towns of the State came quickly to the assistance of Rawhide sufferers with cash contributions. San Francisco Mining Exchange sent a contribution of $500.

A partial list of the heaviest losers follows:

First Bank of Rawhide, Bank of Rawhide, Press-Times building, Mizpah Mercantile Company; Nevada Meat Market the Northern, Texas, Rickards, E. E. Marks and Company, Nevada Club, Downer Hotel, Clellys Dance Hall.

The fire destroyed the hoisting works of the Bluff Mining Company, Grutt Hill properties and the Grutt business office. The loss on these amounted to $10,000 which is the extent of damage done the mining properties.

Plans were well underway for a reconstruction of the town between the ashes for cool.

The Press-Times and Rustler Newspaper offices were saved, although the machinery of new plant was destroyed.

The fire was brought under control after destroying the entire business section with the exception of one grocery store.

A report that two commercial travelers lost their lives in the burning of Ross Hotel has not been confirmed.

The town has been placed under martial law.

PENSION FOR EARLY.

Granted by Government to Leper From This State.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Washington, Sept. 4.—A pension was granted today by the United States Government to John R. Early, supposed victim of leprosy, who now is being maintained by the authorities of the district of Columbia. Early is a native of Lynn, N. C., but the officials of that State decline to be responsible for his maintenance. He was for a considerable time a soldier in the United States army and it was during his service in the Philippines that he probably contracted the disease with which he is afflicted. He was discharged from the army at Plattsburg Barracks, N. Y., in 1904. Pension Commissioner Warner issued to him a pension certificate for $12 a month from July 12th, 1907 to August 31, 1908, and a certificate for $72 a month to date from August 31, 1908. An effort is being made to have the United States Soldiers' Home here assume the burden of Early's care but the arrangements have not been concluded.

UNKNOWN SCHOONER SUNK.

While in Tow of Tug She Goes Down Off Cape Henry.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Norfolk, Va., Sept. 4.—An unknown two masted schooner sank today off Cape Henry in what is known as Middle Ground. The vessel was the second tow of the tug Princess, of Baltimore, which also had the schooner Edward H. Cole, in tow. The tug proceeded without making the identity of the sunken ship known. The crew was rescued by the tug. The schooner was waterlogged. The United States engineering department was notified as the wreck is a menace to navigation.

Canoe Races

at the Beach Labor Day—fare to Beach 25 cents round trip from any part of city. **

BRYAN AT HOME WITH THE FARMER

He Makes a Speech at State Fair and Another at Hospital Dedication.

AVOWEDLY NON-POLITICAL

Introduced by Republican Governor. Talks of Neglect the Farmer Has Received at Hands of the Government.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Lincoln, Neb, Sept. 3.—William J. Bryan today made two avowedly non-political speeches to his home folks. The first was at the State fair grounds where he participated in the dedication of the new auditorium, and the second was at the Tabatha Home near Fairview, where a new building was dedicated as a hospital for the aged.

In his fair grounds speech he was introduced by Governor Sheldon, who has just been renominated by the Republicans for Governor and who was a captain in Mr. Bryan's regiment in the Spanish-American war.

Mr. Bryan referred somewhat humorously to his own experiences as a soldier and said that among the candidates for President this year he was the only man with a war record. He said that underlying partisan feelings in this country was patriotism deeper and stronger than all else, as indicated by the ready response to the call for volunteers in the Spanish-American war. His personal experience typified this. And less than two years after his defeat by Mr. McKinley he had volunteered his services at Washington for the war. This offer, however, was not accepted and he turned to his own State which gave him a commission and he raised a regiment of Nebraskans. Most of the officers in the regiment, like Governor Sheldon, he said, were Republicans, though the majority of the enlisted men were Democrats.

Addressing himself to the farmers, he said: "My friends, we are more stingy in making the appropriations for the farmer than for any other classes of our people. Why, it was a century after our Government was organized or about that before we succeeded in getting a Department of Agriculture established. We are the greatest agricultural country in the world and agriculture is the greatest industry in our country and yet almost 100 years elapsed before the farmer got a seat around the President's council table. How backward we have been in recognizing the farmers' place in our Government and among our institutions! In the time that has elapsed since the creation of this Department of Agriculture, a great deal has been done and yet that department is in its infancy. What will you think when I tell you that for every dollar we spend on that department, we spend more than $25 on Army and Navy. More than $25 spent in getting ready for wars we ought never to have than we spend on agriculture. The agricultural school s developing, its advancement is one of the great marked characteristics of this generation. I think I am safe in saying that in no other department of learning has there been so much progress as in that department which relates to agriculture. I am glad to encourage the agricultural college. Why, for years it has been deemed a part of the duty of the State to train lawyers through law schools established by the Government; and we have trained doctors through schools connected with our State institutions, but, my friends, we are just beginning to learn that the training of the farmer is just as important as the training of the doctor or the lawyer. I expect great things from our agricultural colleges. I believe those colleges will lift the average of general intelligence of the farmer; I expect the colleges to equip an increasing number of young men for public life. We will read the role of United States Senators and will find but two farmers among them. Run down the list of Congressmen and you will find but very few farmers among them. Considering the people engaged in farming, the farmer has very inadequate representation in the National Congress. And what is the result? The result is that the farmer has been neglected more than any other man and his interests disregarded more than the interest of any other class and with this larger training of our farmer boys and farmer girls I expect to see the farmer assert himself more and gain a larger representation in the making of our laws and the shaping of the Nation's policies.

"Take the rebates that have built up great centres and destroyed the small towns. Why have they been given? Because the farmer has not had a voice in the regulation of the railroads. I believe the farm is the great training school and I know that the people from the farm have strengthened every branch of business, but, my friends, I believe as we get away from the country, as we get farther from the soil, we are less impressed by those great laws of nature that ought to have a controlling influence in our lives. Man, as he lives close to the soil lives close to God. It is easy to teach religion to one who sees the miracles performed every day. It is easy to inspire regard for the Creator in one who sees every day the handiwork of the Almighty and labors constantly amid the mysteries of natural life. And on these farms we have been rearing the men and women whose influences have helped to keep this country great, and to promote the movements which have for their objects the welfare of the world.

"But there is another reason why I am anxious that the farmer shall have a great influence. As I have been studying the causes of evil; as I have been studying the abuses that need to be remedied, I have found that the fundamental trouble is a mistaken understanding of the law of rewards. The farmer more than anyone else is brought into close touch with the Divine law of rewards.

"The farmer knows that God has given him a fruitful earth, the showers that are necessary and the warmth of the sun, and the farmer knows that if he is to convert raw material into wealth, it must be by diligence and by intelligence; and the farmer is impressed day by day, year by year, with the idea that his reward is to be in proportion to his merit."

BASE BALL

American League.

At New York 0; Washington 3.
At St. Louis 4; Detroit 2.
At Boston 7; Philadelphia 1. Second game Boston 10; Philadelphia 1.
At Chicago 3; Cleveland 2. (11 innings.)

National League.

At Pittsburg 1; Chicago 0. (10 innings.)
At Philadelphia 1; New York 8.
At Brooklyn 2; Boston 3.

Southern League.

At Little Rock 3; Atlanta 3 (5 innings, rain.)
At New Orleans 1; Montgomery 7.
At Memphis 4; Birmingham 1. (7 innings, darkness.)
At Mobile-Nashville, rain.

Virginia League.

At Danville 2; Roanoke 3.
At Lynchburg 0; Norfolk 6.
At Richmond 3; Portsmouth 3. (10 innings, darkness.)

MR. JOHN E CLARK DEAD.

Formerly Resident of This City—With Waccamaw Lumber Company.

A telegram to Mr. William H. Chadbourn yesterday brought the sad intelligence of the death of Mr. John E Clark to many friends in this city and section.

Mr. Clark passed away yesterday afternoon in the Boulevard Sanitarium, Detroit, Mich., where he had been under treatment for some time for diabetes of which he was a great sufferer. Until two months ago he was a resident of this city, having come to Wilmington four or five years ago as superintendent and general manager of the extensive interests of the Waccamaw Lumber Company. Later he was associated with Mr. Chadbourn in the cross-tie business under the firm name of Clark & Chadbourn. He was 62 years of age and was highly esteemed by all in the circle of his acquaintance. He leaves a wife and one son, Mr. C. E. Clark, now superintendent and general manager of the Waccamaw interests at Bolton. His son was with his father when he passed away.

The deceased was a member of Orient Lodge A. F. & A. M., of Wilmington, and a telegram was forwarded last night to Corinthian Lodge of Detroit to take charge of the funeral arrangements. The bereaved ones have the tenderest sympathy of many friends in their bereavement.

JAIL DELIVERY IN ROBESON.

Croatan Managed to Gain Exit by Digging Hole Through Wall.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Lumberton, N. C., Sept. 4.—Early risers this morning discovered a hole in the wall of the county jail just under a second-story window which had not been noticed before, and upon the jailor's being awakened it was found that during the night Elias Hunt, alias Elias Williamson, a Croatan, had made his escape.

The instrument used for removing the brick was a hook taken from the wall, which was used for hanging the water bucket. Aonther prisoner is said to have thrown out his hat and shoes but his heart failed him and he remained in jail. Hunt is considered very unwise to break jail as the charges against him were trivial and the withdrawal of the case was being considered.

WILMINGTON GUN CLUB.

Twelve Men at Traps for Regular Weekly Shoot Yesterday.

Twelve men faced the traps at the regular weekly shoot of the Wilmington Gun Club yesterday afternoon. The weather conditions were fair and some very good scores were recorded. These are ar follows; Penny 113-125; Holmes 87-100; Dreher 84-100; Boylan 83-100; Boushee 45-50; Taylor 45-50; Murchison 59-75; Gilbert 19-25; Truelove 69-100; Littig 67-75; Bowen 43-45, Matthews 42-45.

The shoot was held early in order that all members who desired to do so might attend the baseball game at League Park. The club season now nearing a close has been a very successful one and some fine marksmen have been developed in the ranks of its mmbership.

Alexander Troup, Democratic National committeeman from Connecticut and editor of the New Haven Union, died suddenly in New York last night.

Big Labor Day Excursion.

Thomas H. Knight's excursion to Newbern Monday, September 7th, Labor Day, will be the last excursion of the season to the dear old town where pleasure reigns everywhere and so many thousands delight to go. There will be a game of baseball in the afternoon. This will interest you. Train will leave Union Station at 7:30 A. M. and will leave Newbern on the return at 10:00 P. M. The round trip is only $1.50. **

Malaria Causes Loss of Appetite.

The Old Standard GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC, drives out malaria and builds up the system For grown people and children, 50c.

Labor Day

Canoe Races at the Beach Labor Day—fare to Beach 25 cents round trip from any part of city. **

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NOTICE.

To the Heirs of W. J. Kellogg:

Take notice that the undersigned did on February 4th 1908 purchase from the Sheriff of New Hanover County, for the non-payment of State and County taxes for the year 1907, the following real estate listed in the name of the Heirs of W. J. Kellogg, to wit: On North side of Queen street between 10th and 11th streets, in the City of Wilmington, being the West Middle part Lots 5 and 6, Block 82. The time for redemption will expire on February 4th 1909, and unless the same is redeemed by said date, in the manner prescribed by law, the undersigned will apply for deed for same.

Dated this September 5th 1908.

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